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A STREET ROBBERY-Some cowardly off with it. Miss Noble held as tightly as possible to her property, and the robber only secured the pocket book by pulling it from the handle, Miss Noble

since been apprehended.

GAIN THROUGH Loss. - Messrs. Ainsworth and Whittelsey, the details of whose sweeping loss by burglary and fire were given last week, are again engaged in active business, and the work of replacing their destroyed building is proceeding rapidly as possible. As is indicated by their cards, published elsewhere in this issue, their gratuitous, his subject did not anticiloss of property has revealed the wealth of friendship and good will held for them in the hearts of their fellow citizens, and this friendship and generous kindness will do much, do all, indeed, to lighten the burden and remove the discouragement caused by their mis-

THE MISSING SENSE.—We are glad able us to enjoy a partisan lecture; un-Wooldridge of Ann Arbor, from the persual of which, we can sincerely say, we anticipate much pleasure and instruction. The title of the little book day in Advent, took place in the Episis "The Missing Sense, and the Hidden | copal church in the evening. Things Which it Might Reveal." The learn through the sense we now enjoy, senger and the message. the author of the interesting book be- about him. lieves, is crossed and known to the be purchased at Rogers' book store,

Don't Go.-The opera house was filled last evening, the attraction being the lecture by Walter T. Mills the wellknown prohibition orator, on the subject, "Shall Government by the Peothat government by the people would given possession of it, or as he put it political situation and force the bad threaten our government than is war- the organ. rented by facts, and brightens the future that following his theories would bring to a degree beyond possible realization. Most of the dangers as to be extremely ridiculous. As long store. as it is true that a man is good one day and bad the next, as long as the blood of brotherhood connects the good and the bad, as long as the good and bad must live together and work together, enjoy, endure and suffer, side by side, the separation our prohibition friend would have cannot be brought about. And then, so many of us would be left so lonely and friendless if all the good men should insist on complete repara-

tion from the bad. Don't bein a hurry A PARTISAN LECTURE.-Hon. W. S. Aubrey, of London, England, who our fire, we desire to give sincere lectured at the opera house Tuesday evening, on the subject, "Gladstone, all kind words and acts, and it gives us his Characteristics, his Personality, and his Career," has the appearance retrieve what we and the business part among our Saturday visitors. Frank and the style and form of speech of a of Ypsilanti have lost. typical educated Englishman. His head is large, his forehead high and broad, his arms and hands seemingly too small for his broad shoulders and thick body, and his legs are much too abbreviated to give him grace of stature—in short, he was the Englishman with whom we have become familiar through Nast's caricatures of John Bull. The honorable gentleman from was a pleasure given through his nice selection of words and terms, and his evident careful formation of sentences,

The Upsilantian. wished to convey that, was more enjoyable and instructive, perhaps, than wished to convey that, was more enjoywould have been what is commonly poetical phrases and vivid word-pic- in this city twenty-five years ago. tures. His pronunciation was tinged with provincialism, the h being utilized where it would not have been written with her daughter, Mrs. Crysler, and discarded at times where it would have been. So far as the subject matneither more nor less than an intensely partisan political speech from the personal standpoint of the lecturer. Mr. Gladstone was the central thought and golden text of his talk, of course,

thief followed Miss Gertie Noble, a and political affiliation could enable sanctum. teacher in the fourth ward school, as him to form. But the real purpose of she was returning from the west side the lecturer seemed to be to show up daughter, of Lafayette, Ind., spent a George L. Davis, the civil engineer in Ypsilanti, the enjoyment has not of the city to her present place of resi- the demagogy and deceitfulness and part of last week here, guests of Mr. in the employ of the Toledo and Ann been by reason of its presumed excellher pocket book from her hand, and ran in that line of his lecture was quick- them in company with her brother. ened by reason of his being one of the recently defeated Liberal candidates retaining the latter in her hand. The presuming to inflict an American audi- worldly persons or pleasures, and Steve indignation to hear a member of our spite of our theology. Congress revile and abuse the admin-

pate it, and in the minds of many of indiscretion of his representative friend. Our sympathy, so far as English politics are concerned, is with the Liberal party, with Mr. Gladstone and Mr. Aubrey, but the American pen- a medical student in Boston. chent for fair play is too strong to en-

as a specimen English campaign speech. "John the Baptist."

The regular services of the 3d Sun-

The special subject for consideration announced purpose of the author is to was, The Coming of Christ. Rev. Mr. discuss spiritual philosophy on a ration- McLean, the pastor, after the introduc-

to that realm that is from the life and | Prof. Barbour, in a brief address, world we know so far, yet sometimes called attention to the peculiar characseems so near-the line or condition, teristics of St. John and especially his as one has said, between materialism independence of men. His wants were Ypsilanti, recently of Syracuse, N. Y. and mysticism. This line and realm, provided for, without appeal to those and now of Detroit, spent Sunday last

fail unless the prohibition party was the response came, "I have not yet approached on the subject of Christ, catarrh in the damp night air. got beyond John, the Baptist in my would get on one side of the moral and olute and burdened, he had no part in year it has been to all concerned. Mr.

Normal Lecture and Music Course. The next entertainment in the Normal Lecture and Music Course will be referred to by the lecturer are real, and given Tuesday evening Jan. 3, and will church. his warnings are timely and justified, be a lecture by Mary A. Livermore. but his plans for avoiding them are Subject, "Wendell Phillips and His not all practical, and some of them are | Times." Admission 50 cents. Thirty so illy adopted to the actual situation | tickets will be sold, at Dodge's jewelry

I cannot find words to express the gratitude I feel for the open-hearted friends who have so generously, helped me to bear my loss through burglars and fire. I trust that my record henceforth may never cause you to regret what you have done, and that others in trouble may find as good friends and at St. Clair this week. true. I thank you one and all.

W. S. WHITTELSEY.

To our many friends who have done so much to help and encourage us since thanks. We feel deeply grateful for fresh courage to go ahead and try to spondent of The Ypsilantian, was

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WALLACE & CLARKE, as well as in the forcible expression given throughout to the thoughts he is complete. Give them a call.

Mrs. Joseph Hand, whose husband called eloquence—easy, fluent language, day or two here last week. They lived plar's Hall next Sunday at 3 p. m.

Mrs. Robbins, Forest avenue east, will spend the present week at Holly,

ter of the lecture was concerned, it was young friends in the city, last Friday evening. We were told not to mention in the small hours.

Mrs. Murray on Forest avenue gave

Mr. Geo. E. Woolsey and wife and office.

was hardly a sufficient reason for his week. We are forbidden to care for gest.

Dr. C. J. Cutter, son of Dr. Calvin istration party of our country before Cutter of Physiology fame, spent Mon- Japanese Dell Festival in the base- pleased or helped, we trust will be reday in this city. For three years past ment of the Presbyterian church on membered; those which have hurt or reviled the Tory party, and also the he has been connected with the depart-Conservatives, Tuesday evening. The ment of public instruction in Japan, promptly at 7:30 o'clock. Some of the In this we echo but the prayers that all lecturer's display of partisanship was but since his return in June last he has curious Japanese customs will be illus- would make in parting. been engaged in introducing his text | trated by means of the dolls. Admisbooks on Hygine and Physiology. At sion 10 cents. his hearers Mr. Gladstone will suffer the Normal school he gave an interestloss of admiration by reason of the ing talk before the Physiology classes, ing Club, of the high school, will be upon the functions of the nervous sys- held in high school hall next Friday tem, illustrating his statements by ac- evening, Dec. 16. A general invitation counts of hospital cases which had extended. come under his own observation while

Mrs. Helen Taylor and Mrs. F. A. to acknowledge the receipt of a little less, indeed, we accept it and enjoy it where they had been attending the will receive some present from the tree, Ella Taylor remained with her uncle.

Mr. J. W. Babbitt spent a day or two of last week in Vassar, Mich., and was taken in and cordially cared for by his friend, C. A. Mapes. Mapes is prospering and happy in his new home, but his al basis, and by spiritual philosophy is tory exercises, the lesson being read by affection for the friends he made and meant the theories and thoughts, and Prof. Sill, announced the special topic left in Ypsilanti does not grow less, what we can see or touch or hear, or usual felicitous style both of the Mes- temporal welfare of Rogers, Jay Worden, Doc Bennett and others, with an by reason of it. interest born of affection and anxious

solicitude. Dr. Don C. Phillipps, formerly of with friends here. As has been before Prof. Strong dwelt more particularly reported to our readers. Don is now a 'missing sense." This brief mention upon the Jews and their rejection of practicing optician, though it seems will enable readers who would appre- the message. He related in a very but last night or some other night, ciate it at all, to partially conceive of happy manner an incident connected since his melodious voice used to rouse the scope of the work. The book can with a Jewish Rabbi, a dear friend of us from innocent slumber in the still his, whose reason was almost over- dark hours between the days, as he thrown by the loss of his three chil- carried the bass in the touching redren. After traversing the country frain, "Sweet dreams lady, I'm going over and over again, in vain pursuit of to leave you now" under the window of consolation, the afflicted father became some Normal girl. The girls didn't enlisted in the benevolent work of re- think he would leave, but he did, and lieving some destitute emigrants who he has since been married, and now ple Fail." The answer to the question, had come to the locality. In this work, goes to bed at a proper hour instead of according to Mr. Mills's theory was he found relief for himself, but when warbling love songs and catching

The Rev. Mr. Cheney closed the first in other words, unless all the good men theology." Though his heart was desevening, and a pleasant and profitable Him who said "Come unto me all ye Cheney is mentally and by nature well men to get on the other. With his who labor and are heavy laden." The equipped for his work. He is enthusiready flow of language Mr. Mills gives exercises were very interesting and astic, sympathetic and earnest, and his a darker shade to the dangers that instructive. Prof. Pease presided at good qualities are recognized and appreciated by his people. The last service of his first year was fittingly observed by administering the ordinance of baptism, to two young ladies, Normal students, being then received into the

Mr. and Mrs. A. Williams left for an extended trip through the western various places in California, Colorado, Utah and Kansas. They expect to be Utah and Kansas. They expect to be absent during the greater part of the \$10 per month. J. N. WALLACE & Co.

Jackson, and will spend the holidays there the guest of her brother J. H. Wortley.

Mrs. N. Higley and her daughter, Miss Frances, are visiting with friends

Miss Nellie Batchelder and Miss Kate Corns, of Detroit, are spending albums and scrap albums at the lowest prices at the Bazarette. the present week here, the guests of Mrs. W. M. Rickey.

John A. Martin of Chicago, a son of old-time home this week.

Frank Cody, the Belleville correhad been purchasing gold rings and other articles, that cast over his visit

to town a shadow of suspicion. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. R. Pattison dedolls, Yankee dolls; white, black pink parted Tuesday for Florida where they or yellow; dressed and undressed; blue expect to spend the remaining method. expect to spend the remaining months of the winter. Chas R. and the writer. once upon a time and then some more times, assisted in giving the town a rosy glow, so far as newspaper vermillion would grant the glow, but there was no money and less glory in the exer-The Mineral Baths given at this incise and we soon wearied of it. With Charles removed to the land of flowers and the writer located in the snow banks of the north, the town ought to be peaceful if not thankful.

Mere Mention.

Rev. E. P. Goodrich addresses the

Benj. Covert living at Willow Run, of Congress, Capt. Allen kindly furnday's proceedings in the House.

the auspices of the Sunday School.

and he presented the great statesman a ladies party last Wednesday. Some surance and real estate office from its it is quite probable that the regret we in language as eulogistic as supreme thing was said about a Kettle Drum, recent location, on the west side of feel in parting from the paper and its admiration, warm personal friendship but it wasn't heard in the editorial Huron street, to the rooms formerly patrons is greater than will be felt by occupied by C. R. Whitman as a law any in receiving our farewell.

dence on Cross street, Tuesday evening. dangerous character of the Tory party, Woolsey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rob- Arbor railroad, who was quite promi- ence or our satisfaction with it, but has and just as she was passing through a the political party that is at present at ert Woolsey. Mrs. Rachel Beard, of nent in the conflict between some farm-proceeded rather from the indulgence part of Cross street shaded from the the head of the English government. Jackson, Mich., a daughter of Mr. and ers and railroad employes near Cadillac, with which it has been received, and Mr. Aubrey confessed that his interest Mrs. Robt. Woolsey, was also visiting last Thursday, which resulted in the the kindly assistance and encouragedeath of one of the railroad men, lives | ment which has made even the results Steve Bridges graced the street and at Belleville. The report of the fatal attained possible. Many sentences have gladdened the hearts of his friends fight would indicate that he was not so been framed that we would we could for Parliament from London, but that here by a short visit during the past civil as his professional title might sug-

ence with an abusive, one-sided polit- we fear is worldly; but we can't resist and Testaments for holiday gifts can These imperfections and faults were ical harangue. How the cheek of an his soft blue eyes and winning smile find a full supply, very cheap, at the the results of mistakes rather than American would burn with shame and and must grant him our affection in Bible Society depository, in D. B. malice, errors committed through igno-Greene's office.

The annual public of Phœnix Debat-

Christmas tree social at Good Templars' Hall Wednesday evening of next week, Dec. 21. Each person attending funeral of their sister, Mrs. Frank the present being determined by the Crittenden, Monday evening. Miss number of their ticket. In addition a pleasing literary program will be given, All for fifteen cents.

The Ypsilanti Dress Stay Company have reduced the working hours of their employes from ten to nine hours -work commencing at eight in the morning instead of seven o'clock. This change was made without solicitation on the part of the Company's employes and no reduction of wages was made

An illustration of cause and effect cause being matter misplaced, and the effect a broken press, was given at the Commercial office last Saturday. Loss, twenty-five dollars, no insurance, but the firm is still doing business at the old stand

Prof. W. M. Skinner of Boston, a Trim, McGregor & Co. tenor of considerable celebrity is arranging a concert for the evening of the 23d, which will be unique in some of its features and will be a rare treat.

The next meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held with Mrs. G. L. Foote, The play to be given at the opera

house this evening, comes endorsed as a thrilling and pleasing one. It deals at 20 cents per pound at F. A. Oberst's? house this evening, comes endorsed as with the pleasing poem, Shamus O'Brien, and Irish songs and dances are Harris Bros. plentifully sprinkled through its acts. Minor Stetson, aged 84 years, who brook's grocery. had lived in the town of Augusta for 55 years, died Sunday last.

The Ann Arbor Democrat announces | Bazarette. that Barney Kirk of this city will be a candidate for Register of Deeds, and adds that he is now the fortieth on the

We understand that Bazzett, & Barrett's bankrupt stock, consisting of \$10,000 worth of watches, clocks, jewelry and silverware will be brought here and sold at public auction in the Moorman Block, next door to the Sanitarium, commencing Saturday, Dec. 15, and continuing each day until all is disposed of. This is a rare opportunity states last Tuesday. They will visit to purchase jewelry at your own price. For Sale Cheap.

One Bath Miss Marie Wortley left to-day for At the Ypsilanti Sanitarium will

Anyone wishing to engage the professional services of Miss Betsey Gates, will call on Mrs. P. W. Carpenter,

Plush and leather albums, autograph

Young ladies intending to make their "brothers or gentlemen cousins" a present must remember that the Bazar-Joseph Martin, deceased, is visiting his ette keeps just the articles needed for such, and other Xmas presents.

Mr. George E. Sperry, treasurer of Pittsfield, will be in Ypsilanti on the 22d day of Dec. to receive taxes.

Greatest assortment of Christmas gifts to be had in the city at the new jewelry and stationary store, Huron St. Go to C. H. Foster's for holiday presents in the line of pipes, cigar holders,

For table luxuries go to Harris Bros. Beautiful holiday booklets and satin novelties at the Bazarette.

Delicious! is the exclamation of those who test the Golden Crescent cigar. For Oneida Community canned goods

and mince meats, go to Harris Bros. Plush novelties in cuff and collar boxes, handkerchief and toilet sets at the Bazarette.

A Formal Farewell. The present proprietors of the Yosi died at Elyria, Ohio, last year, spent a temperance meeting at Good Tem- lantian are far away this week, and as they have confided the responsibility The Ladies' Literary Club met on of presenting this issue of their paper Wednesday of the present week with to the care of one who during the past Mrs. Prof. George. As they had chosen three years has had the privilege of for their "current topic" the assembing preparing much that has been given in its columns, and who now exercises gave an oyster party to about 25 of his ished them with an account of the first that privilege for the last time, we shall take advantage of this oppor-Arrangements are being made for an tunity to bid the readers of The Ypsi the hour of breaking up and so will not interesting service at the Congrega- lantian, collectively, a formal farewell say anything about it, except that it was | tional church Christmas night, under | We have enjoyed the privileges of our position to a degree beyond that made F. P. Bogardus has removed his in- possible for our readers, perhaps, and

> may have been unjust, and some facts Persons wishing to purchase Bibles given that were better left untold. rance rather than by intention. The The "Little Gleaners" will hold a words or thoughts that may have Friday evening, Dec. 23, commencing hindered, we pray may be forgotten.

Chas. Erin Verner in Shamus O'-Brien at the Opera House this evening.

Go Visit Your Uncles, Cousins and Aunts. The Michigan Central will sell tickets evening, Dec. 16. A general invitation extended.

The Sons of Temperance give a Chairman treatment of the round trip tickets, good returning Jan. 3. These tickets not good on Nice Soud State of the round trip tickets and contains a round on Nice Soud State of the round trip tickets and returning Jan. 3. These tickets not good on Nice Soud State of the round trip tickets and returning Jan. 3. good on Nos. 5 and 6. A Sewing Machine For Sale.

A new White, used but little, will be

sold cheap if sold soon. Call on or address, Mrs. George Thompson, corner Cross and Perrin streets, Ypsilanti.

A fine dimond stud, address lock box 415-17 2853, Ann Arbor. Attend the great auction sale of watches, clocks, jewelry and plated ware in the Moorman Block, next door

to Sanitarium New goods and new prices at the new jewelry and stationery store, Huron St. E. L. HOUGH.

Every thing in canned goods new and fresh at C. H. Foster's. The Golden Crescent Cigar is sold

only at Holbrook's. A few very choice cloaks for ladies in the Modjeska and Newmarkets just received. We guarantee our prices to be 25 per cent.lower than other dealers.

For Lockheart buckwheat flour go House to rent.-Enquire of

GUY DAVIS. We have a new line of Children's and Misses'. cloaks in Gretchens and newcorner of Ellis and Ballord streets, next markets, very stylish which we offer Tuesday at 3 o'clock. All are invited.

Ritner's apple butter and jams at

Try the Golden Crescent eigar at Hol-A beautiful line of fine handkerchiefs for ladies and gentlemen at the

Go to C. H. Foster's for choice candies, nuts, oranges and pine apples. See our handkerchiefs, mufflers and

slippers before buying the Christmas box for John. Trim, McGregor & Co. The largest and most complete assortment of ladies' and gents' watches in the city at the new jewelry and station-ery store, Huron St. E. L. HOUGH.

Go to C. H. Foster's for saratoga chips, mince meat and Cross & Blackweils jams.

Have you seen those Christmas tree ornaments and cards at F. A. Oberst's?

We will show the latest styles in muffs and at prices hard to beat, Christmas week at Trim, McGregor & Co.'s.

Get your mother, your wife and daughter a cloak for Christmas. You will find the latest styles and lowest prices at Trim, McGregor & Co.'s.

Everybody attend the auction sale now going on in the Moorman Block. B. Morehouse, Fire Life and

Accident Insurace in the best companies. Conveyances made, pension affidavits, vouchers, etc. drawn. Call at office of Allen & McCorkle. Buy your daughter one of those handsome Gretchen cloaks for a Christ-

mas present. Trim, McGregor & Co. C. H. Forter's empress tea and favorite blend coffee is meeting with success. Sales increasing every day.

Harris Bros.' Rob Roy flour is fine.

Fine presents given with baking powder at C. H. Foster's. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHtenaw, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by
an order of the Probate Court for the County
of Washtenaw, made on the eighth day of
December A. D. 1887, six months from that
date were allowed for creditors to present
their claims against the estate of Joseph Bickford late of said county, deceased, and that
all creditors of said deceased are required to
present their claims to said Probate Court, at
the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor,
for examination and allowance, on or before
the eighth day of June next, and that such
claims will be heard before said Court, on
Thursday the eighth day of June next, at ten o'clock
in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, December 8th, A. D. 1887,
WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN,
Judge of Probate

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1887.

Putting up stoves is not an agreeable task, yet strange to say, it soots everybody who engages in it.—Bing-

hamton Republican. Dumpsey-I understand that Bigsby is over ears in debt. Blobson-Huh!

guess you never saw his ears.-Burlington Free Press. When you read that a millionaire works harder than any of his clerks, please to remember that he gets more

pay.—Philadelphia Call. A man sometimes loses his balance on an orange peeling on the pavement, and sometimes he loses it in a savings

bank.—Louisville Courier. When you have to pay \$1 an hour for a one-horse sleigh, it's easy to understand what is meant by a revenue cutter.—Duluth Paragrapher.

Miss Pittsburg—Do you believe in marriage, Miss Chicago? Miss Chicago -Why, cert! How else could we ever have any divorces?—Tid-Bits.

Giving nothing yourself and asking others to contribute to a monument is what might be called "monumental cheek."-New Orleans Picayune.

Why is the letter "u" like a creamery as compared with a common dairy? Because it makes better butter, you know.—Springfield Union.

Husband (dressing)-"Where in the world are my boots, my dear?" —"On the mantelpiece where you left them last night."—New York Sun. When the world was new there was

naturally an abundance of original sin. Now wickedness of any kind is a chestnut. - New Orleans Picayune. Presence of mind is all well enough in some cases, but when a man finds himself in danger of freezing to death

he shouldn't try to keep too cool .-H. Rider Haggard will lecture in this country. The Journal desires to recall its statement that he is a thoroughly original genius. - Nebraska

State Journal. "No, I don't like Prigston, he's such an ignoramus." "Why, that's the best thing about him. If he knew anything, he'd be telling it to everybody."-Boston Transcript.

First young lady-I see that Mr. Buffalo Bill's profits in London amounted to £70.000. Second young lady—Yes, and think, too, of his position in society. - Tid-Bits.

The dead elephant Alice was dissected at Hartford and 300 pennies being found in her stomach, it is be lieved she had started a monument

Only a rich man can afford to use coal-gas as a means of suicide nowadays. His poor neighbor must conhimself with the plebeian rope .-Baltimore American.

It was nip and tuck with a Rhode Island girl and her pa whether she should bring a dude son-in-law into the family, but finally Pawtucket .-Duluth Paragrapher.

It it an Irishman who defines a rich

man as a man who bites off more than

he can chew, and a poor man as a man who chews more than he can bite off. -New York Tribune. The value of diamonds depends upon circumstances. Usually the ace is

worth the most, but sometimes the ten-spot has twice its value. - Davenport Democrat-Gazette.

money," remarked one traveling man fer to the counterfeiters," was the rejoinder .- Merchant Traeller.

Old lady(on her way to church)-"Don't you know, little boys, that it's wicked to play ball Sunday?"-"We ain't playin'; we're only practicin' for termorrow's game."-New York Sun.

"I say, old man, can you lend me a tenner?" "No; you remember what opposite wall. Shakspeare says: 'A loan oft loses both He thought be itself and friend." go to-a nunnery! I've had enough of you."-New York Sun.

Counsel (to witness)—Is it possible, Uncle 'Rastus, that you would swear to what you know is not the truth for a single paltry dollar?" Uncle 'Rastus (indignantly)—"No, sah; de gemman guv me \$2."—Harper's Bazar.

With a high appreciation of a great and interesting truth, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps remarked: "The sweetest song is that no poet has begun." And, as a general thing, the sweetest poet is he who has begun no song. - New York

Sister Clara (entertaining young Mr. Featherly)-Why do you ask me, Bobby, if was at the market yesterday? You know very well I was not. Bobby-I heard Mr. Featherly say something about your being in the market .- New York Sun.

As soon as you forget to pay a man a small sum you owe him tell him so and he will be satisfied. It is the putting off and putting off of such payments and not telling the man you have forgotten it that makes him mad. -New Orleans Picayune.

Patent agent-I've got just the thing you want. It is a book-holder, and - German professor-Vell, I don't vant him: I vos hold onto my books poody vell. Vat I vant ish a a padent ash vill pring back dot books vat vas borrowed from me. - Harper's Bazar.

makes her cry, but the soulful sobbing of the violins. She may be right. It is certain that nothing will make a man with a musical ear feel more like weeping than a mismanaged fiddle .-Somerville Journal.

"I am so glad," said Miss Pretty-sweet, looking up from the paper, "that the Government has at last become interested in our coast defenses. Last winter there weren't half enough toboggan chutes to accommodate onehalf the people who wanted to coast."

Brown-I saw you going home very late last night with a turkey under your arm, Robinson. Robinson—Yes, I was down at Rumangum's with the boys until nearly 2 o'clock raffling. Brown-Was it a nice turkey? Robinson—I don't know. I was to his, of that gentle yielding form too sick to-day to eat any of it.—New drawn close to his was indelibly stampand her Auntie Alice would teach her a

Madame unexpectedly enters the out!"-Le Mosque de Fer.

## Thanksgiving at Sharon Farm.

BY ROUNSEVILLE WILDMAN.

The snow had been falling all day long. Early Thursday morning, when Bijah took the bright scoured pail from the rack on the sunny side of the road eaved old house, the hills about Sharon farm were brown and sear; not a semblance of snow was in the atmosphere, only a dull leaden coloring off toward the north. But by the time he last patient mulley was stripped, a little flurry of flakes beat against the cow-shed window, and Bijah told Grandpa Parsons that "He'd be thumed if it warn't going ter be reg'ler Thanksgiving weather arter all,"

Hour after hour the snow continued to fall. Softly like a mantle it spread over field and farm building, gradually sifting down among the frozen herbage; at first hardly showing the place of hiding, but later asserting itself and burrying the dead grasses and enshrouding the freshly plowed fields. Ever and anon a leafless daisy or broken stalk of the mullen still could be seen bending under its load like some discouraged sent nel of a lost

By noon the barren hills, the rambling fences, the long shambling barns. the straw stacks; the old homestead were all alike beautiful in their garments of white. "Der t'anksgiven clo's," little Gilbert said as he flattened his d minutive nose against the win-

Thanksgiving was the great day at Grandpa Parsons. Christmas and New Years were but feeble imitations. There were good reasons for Thanksgiving being celebrated at Sharon farm: many things to be thankful for, thought grandpa as he leaned back in his capacious easy chair before the glowing arch fire.

The great cavernous arch was the Mecca of Sharon farm. To-day it was loaded down with its shaggy hickory back-log and four sticks, and piled high with apple tree limbs, sending forth its many colored flames in snapping, crackling play, filling the room with a genial warmth and an aroma of orchard and forest. Grandpa Parsons loved to have his chair drawn up before it and gaze into its sunny depth. Of times Gilbert and Mary, Horace and Helen would perch upon his knees or draw ap beside him while he would relate the story of a Thanksgiving morn-

ing long ago. They never tired of it. To-day, as the fragrant smoke slowy curled from his pipe and hid him from view for a moment and then galloped up the chimney, his mind fell away to the past. He was but a little boy again. The homestead was not so old then; the clap boards were not so deeply furrowed with seams; the woods came nearer the house—so near that at eventide their lengthened shadows wrapped the home in premature twil ght and sent its inmates early to

He remembered how his father and uncle shot a bear where now stands "It's queer how some people make great stone fire place-that was the these here gentlemen but I have disame. He thought of how on a winter to another. "Yes; I suppose you re- night he would bake a long row of sense."-Arkansaw Traveler. sweet apples before it, his face growing ruddy as he stooped to turn them round and round before the glowing

their laughter was checked by the soft took it in and little Seth kissed it and called it his baby sister Thankful, for it smiled in his reverie as he thought of up and learned to call him "Budder Sethe." They played together making mud pies, hunting hen's nests and nutdearer now that a sister shared it.

Fifteen Thanksgivings went by, fillplay. Seth went from his dear rooftell Thankful of his school, his mates, and one blue-eyed girl, who had stolen are not patened. -Alta California. his young heart. But Thankful was quiet while he ran on with his many triumphs. She tried to sympathize with him, but the tears came to her eyes, and then she could only put her arms around her brother's neck and tell him how proud she was of him.

Bennie home with him. He loved Ben- in the following words: nie, and he told Thankful she must A young lady insists that it isn't the love him too, but when they took long deceased remains? Shall I compare pathos of the acting at the theatre that | walks together, or when they played | h m with the sun? No never. The partners at dominoes, he became rest- sun blinds people with its brilliancy. less and shy, and was glad when vaca- The deceased never blinded anybody

not catch Thankful up and kiss her at stars that can only be seen at night. once. He would find himself stealing | Our late friend could be seen both day glances at her when he thought her and night, at the saloons. I think, on not looking, and when she would catch the whole, we had better compare him his eye his head would drop and a flush with the moon. The moon gets full would creep into his cheeks,

One beautiful autum day, just as the deceased. I've heard that the moon sun had tinged Sharon farm for the borrows its light and so did the relast time, leaving only the remem- mains, for he smoked a great deal and brance of its presence, he took Thank- was always letting his eigar go out. ful in his arms, told her of his love and Peace to his ashes."-Texas Siftings. asked her to be his wife. The recollection of that sweet pink face turned

ed upon his memory. It was not a long courtship, without always obey your parents, for there footman, in the act of drinking Chart- you call their entire life a courtship, was a disobedient man once who was Both stare at each other for they were married on Thanksgiving turned into a fourfooted beast and made open-mouthed astonishment. At in commemoration of Thankful's ad- to eat grass like an ox." length madam broke silence and said vent into the family. It was a quiet in a tone of severity; "Really Baptiste, wedding-only a few of the neighbors feet, Auntie" m surprised." Baptiste (in a tone exasperation)—"And so am I. Wedding—only a few of the neighbors were present. Bennie was their and Auntie Alice—Yes, my darling. Why, I thought madame had gone Seth did not feel jealous when he walked up to Thankful and congratu- tail?-Bangor Commercial.

lated her with a kiss. There was no room for jealousy in his heart; his whole life seemed filled with rich colors of crimson and gold.

Hand in hand they shared the pleasures and sorrows of a long life. First a little girl had come to them-they named her Thankful; then a little boy -he was named after his father. They had grown to be big children when little Bennie was born. Bennie was their baby; over his cradle hung the mother's prayers and the father's fondest hopes. But he, like the others, grew up a great, noble boy, full of manly promise. His heart was big enough for mother, father, brother, sister and country, and when the war broke out he was among the first to volenteer.

They heard from him at Fortress Monroe. He was made a lieutenant at Vicksburg; then came a long pausean agony of waiting, which was ended one morning by finding Bennie's name among the list of the dead at Lookout

A great hot tear crept slowly from

under the closed lids of the man; another was just forcing egress, when a soft, soothing hand was placed gently on his head, and a kind face crowned with a glory of silver white hair was pressed close to his and kissed it away. A chorus of "Grandpa, grandpa the turkey is already for the table; why grandpa has been dreaming," and Gilpert and Mary, Horace and Helen climbed upon his lap and covered his face with Thanksgiving greetings. But

Grandma Thankful, standing over them, knew that it was not all a dream that had caused the tear to glisten on the dear evelids; and she tenderly took one hand, while the children clamored for the other and led the little Seth of her childhood to his place at the head of the table, and listened reverently to his fervent heart's outpouring and soft "Amen." - Kansas City Herald.

### What He Discovered,

A handsomely dressed young woman entered a crowded street car. A longwhiskered old fellow, wearing a dingy slouch hat and a suit of home-spun clothes got up and said:

"Miss, take my seat. I don't loook as well as these here gentlemen"-nodding at several men-"but I've disgivered that I've got more politene " The young woman sat down without

thanking the old fellow; and, slyly winking at a woman whom she knew, whispered: "How do you like my gallant country hoosier? Don't you think that he

would cut quite a figure in a dime museum? "Miss." said the old fellow with a smile which clearly bespoke his unconsciousness of the unladylike ridicule, "I b'leve I left my pocketbook thar on that seat. Will you please git up a

The young woman got up. The old fellow sat down, and, stroking his whiskers, remarked:

"B'leve I'll jest keep on a settin' here, Miss. I stood up so much at the dime the district school house. Everything | museum jest now that I'm sorter tired. has changed, he thought, only the I've got a leetle more politeness than kivered that I ain't got nigh so much

### California Forests.

Not many States had originally as coals; and how a pan of hickory nuts valuable forests as California. While would be cracked and eaten, while the we lack the hard woods of the East, we soft flames lit up the dusky room and have other timber of greater value. The cast spectral shadows upon the natural facilities for preservation of timber here are unexcelled. W, might and pour in mould. Make a custard He thought how, on such an evening by proper foresting, have preserved the original acreage in on-coming timber crying of a child on the door step. It of the valuable varieties, of which was a little girl, warmly wrapt. They California has a natural monopoly. Whenever we save a tree from wanton destruction, we are preserving also the was Thanksgiving night-and grandpa elimatic characteristics which draw the world's attention to California. We that happy time. The little girl grew need a federal forestry law, supplemented by the keenest of State supervision. Other States are ahead of us in re-foresting, while they are ting in the summer and fall, and in the abreast of our negligence in preserving winter the old arch was a hundred fold the forests which they found grown. Like us, they have fallen upon the timber as if it were a public enemy, and ed with innocent mirth and thoughtless unlike us they have learned to plant a sapling when they fell a tree. We are tree to a distant academy. How proud | not without the light of experience on he was when he came home on his the subject. Older countries are painfirst vacation, and how much he had to fully repairing the results of wholesale forest destruction, and their processes

### He Was Like the Moon.

A plain spoken country preacher in Texas was called upon to make a few remarks at the grave of a man who was somewhat unpopular, and who during his life was much addicted to One time he brought his room-mate, drink. The preacher fulfilled his task

"With what shall I compare the with his brilliancy. Shall I compare The next time he came back he could him with the stars? No, not with the every once in a while, and so did the

### Viewed Anatomically.

useful lesson: "Now, Edna, you must

Little Edna-Did they give him four

Little Edna-What did he do for a

DOMESTIC HINTS.

FRUIT CAKE.

Eight cups of flour, six cups sugar, three cups butter, two cups milk (clabber preferred), twelve eggs, four teaspoonfuls cream of tartar, two teaspoonfuls soda, two pounds seeded raisins, two pounds of currants, half pound thinly sliced citron, flour the raisins to prevent them from settling. Flavor with cloves, allspice, cinnamon, ginger and mace to suit the taste; bake four hours. Mix sugar and butter and beat it to light cream, then add milk and yolks of eggs, then the spices and lastly the whites and fruits.

BREAD OMELET.

One cup of sweet milk, one cup of fine bread crumbs without crust, a little salt and pepper, beat all together; add two well beaten eggs, put in a frying-pan a small lump of butter, let it melt and run all over the pan; now pour in the omelet, cook gently until it sets (about fifteen minutes), loosen the edges and fold one half over the other; now put on a hot plate to fit the pan, hold firmly and turn the pan over; it will come out nice and whole.

SPONGE CAKE. One pint sugar, one pint flour, one tablespoon vinegar, one tablespoon water, eight eggs, one teaspoon lemou or vanilla extract. Mix vinegar, water and sugar, add the yolks of the eggs and beat till light. Beat the whites separately and add. After these ingredients are thoroughly mixed, stir in the flour slowly, add one teaspoon vanilla or lemon, and bake in one large or two small tins. The oven should be mode rately heated.

TEA CAKE. One cup of sugar, one tablespoonful of butter, three eggs; beat well together, then add a cup of sweet milk (you may use part water) and a quart of sifted flour, into which you have mixed a spoonful of cream of tartar and one-half a teaspoonful of soda; bake in a quick oven. It is improved by sprinkling sugar over the top (before baking). This will make two cakes, which are best when eaten

ROLLS.

One quart of flour, two ounces butter well rubbed together, one well beaten egg, a little salt, two teaspoonful baking powder well dissolved, and as much milk as required to make a stiff batter: beat it well. set to rise; when light, roll out thin, cut into gems, brush edgee with melted butter, fold them over, place in pans separated a little, let them stand awhile to rise again, and bake.

CORN BREAD.

Mix together thoroughly by putting through a sieve or other wire one pound of Indian meal and 12 pounds of wheat flour, two ounces of baking powder and a tablespoonful of salt; then beat together three ounces of sugar, three ounces of butter and four eggs; add this to flour and make a stiff batter, using warm milk in Winter and cold in Summer; bake in small tins.

CREAM CAKE. One enp white sugar, 11 cups flour, three eggs beaten separate and very light, two tablespoons water, one teaspoon baking powder. Bake in two eakes. Cream: One pint milk, one eup sugar, one-half cup butter, three eggs, two tablespoons flour, lemon extract. Cut each cake and fill with the

CORN STARCH. One pint of milk, three whites of eggs, three tablespoonfuls of corn starch, three tablespoonfuls of sugar; boll the milk, add the other ingredients, of one pint of milk, three yolks of eggs and three tablespoonfuls of sugar; flavor. Add boiled milk, and when ready to serve, pour around the white part.

CUP PUDDING. Break an egg in a coffee-cup and beat thoroughly, then add one tablespoonful of flour and a pinch of salt; pour on milk till the cup is nearly full, then beat again and place in oven and bake twenty minutes. Eat while it is hot,

with a sauce made with the whites of eggs and sugar beaten together till LOBSTER SALID. One can of lobster, chopped fine, twelve hard-boiled eggs, chopped fine, one cup of vinegar, one tablespoonful of mustard, one-half teaspoonful of pepper, small piece of butter, one-half cup of cream, two raw eggs, well beat-

The Chrysanthemum Craze.

en; heat until boiling; mix with lobster

and eggs, and lay on lettuce leaves.

We have borrowed many tasteful decorations from the Japanese, but none so beautiful as this graceful, poetic blossom, so feathery and so delicately tinted, and of such a pungent, woody odor that it would seem as though their odd shaped gods whom we see pictured on porcelain and lacquered ware must have had a divine inspiration in fashioning it and giving it to mortals. The imperial fans of the royal household in Japan bear exquisite designs of the chrysanthemum in gorgeous coloring. It is the flower par excellence in all seasons of the year "in the land of flowers." The seeds of the chrysanthemum were carried to England by some traveler years since, where the flower has gradually grown into immense favor, taking the place of the velvet leaved dahlia and other autumnal flowers, until the liking for it has become a national craze, and the chrysanthemum shows in London are patronized by all lovers of flowers and the fashionable world at large. On our own side of the globe the Boston people, being imitative of English fashions, were the first to catch the craze for chrysanthemums, and their florists given some wonderful exhibitions of these flowers, arranging them in masses of color or harmonious combinations in their beautiful Horticultural Hall, on Tremont street. - Brooklyn Eagle.

A Dakota editor got mad at the postmaster for calling his paper "second-class matter."- A Unique Church.

The most singular looking church to be found in New England is located in Lancaster, Mass. This edifice is fiftytwo feet long by thirty wide. The walls are half of rough stone and half of wood, each five feet in height, making it ten foot from the ground to the eaves. The roof is of the common kind, without a tower, steeple or bel-The entrance is at one corner of highly ornamental porch and vestibule, surmounted by a gable of a beautiful design. No description of the auditorium can give any idea of its richness of color, its beauty or its coziness. It is not made so by stained glass windows, shedding "a dim, religious light" over the room, nor yet by imitations of frescoes that disfigure many churches. There is a harmony of all its appointments that must feed the most fastidious, and feel at "ease in Zion" as soon as you take your seat

The pulpit, the pews, and the ceiling from floor to roof, and the window sash and window folding blinds are all of black cherry from a single tree that stood on the site of this church. The roof is supported by truss work of beams of white wood, partly arched and open to the apex, and stained of cherry color to correspond with the work below. This cherry wood is very wavy and curly, and when polished and varnished is superior to any of our native woods. At the west end of the church there is a large Sunday chool room and library finished in the same style. It is said that from the first day ground was broken for this building to its completion ten years ago no profane word was heard from any workman. The church stands out in a beautiful lawn, partly surrounded with evergreen shrubbery, and attracts a good deal of attention on account of its oddity.

It is amusing to hear remarks of strangers when passing this church. "It is a mill? a shop? Perhaps it's a silo. Maybe it's an incubator for hatching chickens." This is a Swedenborgian church.—Cor. Rutland, (Vt.,)

Mother-You must put your dolly away to-day, Flossie. It's Sunday, you know. Flossie—I'm just playing she's dead, mamma, and we're having

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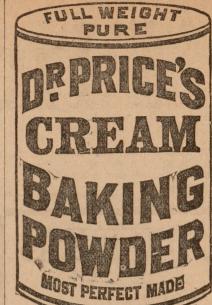
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ing a woolen-mill. -Twenty men are employed in the two hoop shops at Merrill.

-A local option law was adopted in Van Buren county Thursday. -A party of forty Hollanders arrived

settle down in that city. -Revenue collections in upper peninsula foot up to \$100,000 this year,

against \$70,000 last season. -Edward Jones, a Muskegon insurance agent, left his home last Friday, and has not been seen since.

-The Lawton public schools and all public meetings have been suspended owing to the prevalence of scarlet -The State Board of Health has is-

sued a program for a sanitary convention to be held at Albion, December 6 and 7. --Genese county people say that re-

cent rains have not raised water in their wells, and fear there will not be enough to water stock during winter -Rev. Dr. Kaskell, who resigned the pastorate of the Baptist Church at

Ann Arbor a few days ago, will permanently retire after March next from active ministerial work. -Charles Wright, Maj. Kelly, David

Hillis, and the latter's two younger brothers narrowly escaped drowning near Port Austin while attempting to take some flour away from the stranded steamer Osceola. During the season just ended the Du-

luth, South Shore & Ashland has shipped 53,091 tons of ore to local furnaces. Lake shipments from Lake Superior mines are now ended, the total shipments being 4,396,635 tons, on increase over last year of 903,449 tons.

-The young people of Belleville are talking strongly of forming a young people's literary and dramatic society. the long dreary hours of a winter's

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-The District Convention of the W. C. T. U. for the Third District, convened at Marshall Tuesday afternoon with a full attendance of delegates. Mrs. Lathrop of Jackson, entertained a large audience at the Presbyterian church in the evening, choosing as her subject, "Experiments and Settlement," She handled her subject in a satisfactory manner to the audience.

-Sidney Wheeler was arrested at tion. Kalamazoo on a charge of arson. He "I was coming up the Missouri rivon fire one night recently, and Wheeler a steamboat. At a point where we was seen leaving the premises. To a had to wood up I didn't carry as big a question he replied that he had been load as some of the roustabouts, nor insurance policy was canceled the next | did, for I was not strong and had been

day morning the residence of George gang-plank, and he gave me a kick P. Cornell, near the outskirts of Big and sent me ashore, and confiscated Rapids, took fire from a stove and was my buffalo robe as payment for my burned to the ground, the fire depart- passage to that point. I never saw ment being unable to reach it with water. The most of the contents were augurated governor of this state. also burned. Loss to building and contents about \$3,000, with \$1,700 insurance on house and \$300 on furni-

-The occasion of D. F. Glidden's removal to Detroit was recopnized by the Knights of Pythias, of Big Rapids, Tuesday night, when they formally presented him with a series of resolutions, and at a supper later in the evening gave him a Supreme Representative's gold emblem. Mr. Glidden has been for years an active member of the order, and is Past Grand Chancellor of Michigan.

Albert W. Hammer of Ypsilanti, was convicted at Flint, Thursday, on ber it; but it is very likely that I did a charge of fraudulently obtaining the it. signature to a promissory note. This is the first case in this State under this statute as applied to the Bohemian oat swindle, and has created great interest. thror ghout the state. This conviction will create consternation among the Bohemian oat dealers, in whose midst be a dog.' can be found many heretofore respectable and wealthy men.

-The jury in the case of the mys- | you again.' terious death of L. K. Shaw, which occurred near Romeo on Thursday last, still continues to meet, but finds nothing out. By the direction of the Prosecuting Attorney of Macomb county, the stomach of the deceased has been sent to a competent chemist for analysis. The jury will meet again on Saturday, when the analysis will be received and a verdict given. D. N. Lowell, of Romeo, has charge of the case.

terrorized women in the eastern part of Detroit by pinching them on the body. He would suddenly dart into a crowd, grab a woman, pinch her vigorously, and then run away. A man named John Ward was arrested on a charge of attacking and pinching a lady living on St. Aubin avenue, having previous.

One hundred farmers' institutes will be held this winter in Ohio as part of it consists of a chief justice nearly 80 years of on St. Aubin avenue, having previous- the commemoration of the one hunsomething to eat. Ward denies the the state.

charge. The police think they have now found the pincher.

-Dr. Eugene Curtis, of Dowagiac. has been convicted in the United States Court here for selling liquor without a license, and fined \$100. A company of poker players were accustomed to meet in the doctor's office and play for fun. The latter claimed that they drank, but at his expense. Others claimed that those who drank deposited a chip in the bank for each drink, and that if the chips were not put up no drinks were forthcoming. in Grand Rapids, Wednesday, and will Finally one man lost heavily and complained because the cash he lost was not returned. Then the doctor was arrested for selling liquor without a

United States license. —A lot of drunken Finlanders raised a disturbance last Monday night in the saloon of Oscar Field, Negaunee. The proprietor ordered one Jacob Terrto leave his house. Terrman refused to go, and a general row began. In the melee Terman was struck on the head by a heavy club in the hands of Field, crushing in his skull. The matter was kept so quiet that the police had great difficulty in locating the perpetrators of the deed, but Monday Field was placed under arrest for the assault. Terrman lingered until Tuesday morning when he died. Field will now be held for murder. He is a hard character, about 30 years of age.

His examination took place Wednes-The Latest Occupation for Women. Among the many occupations invented by impecunious women as a means of support, probably the most original is that of a woman of thirty, who had been for several years at the head of her "father's luxurious establishment, and learned through experience the art of entertaining his many friends at dinner. Left suddenly an orphan, and without a cent to call her own, she began to cast about in her mind for some means of earning her own living. She was not much of a musician and she did not have either knack or desire to teach what languages she knew. She couldn't write or paint, and in fact, she found it difficult to find within herself any knowl-Such a venture on the part of the edge sufficiently exact to be worth young people would be a profitable as money enough to support her. "If I well as entertaining means of spending only knew one thing thoroughly" she cried, "but the only thing I know is how to give dinner parties. I know -The Gig Saddle Manufacturing that exactly and completely, but the Company has been organized at Jack-question is how to get dinners, not son with a capital of \$50,000. The how to give them." Thinking the matter over in every light a sudden inspiration came to her; there were numbers of people who could give dinners who didn't know how to and she might teach them. She told her idea to her friends, and they encouraged her by employing her on such occasions, and relieving themselves of infinite care and worry thereby. Her method was this: She went to the

herself, got the dining-table in proper condition, saw that all the changes of plates and silver were ready, and, like a major-general, stood and gave her orders until dessert was served, upon which she drew a sigh of relief, put on her gloves, and slipped away. Soon -A deer was seen in the vicinity of her patronage increased when the the village of Dundee one day last people who employed her found what week, and every gun owner straight- clever and original ideas she had and way came down with the buck fever. how entirely she lifted all care and The animal is supposed to have been responsibility from their shoulders. looking for the Dunnee hunters, who | She made a business of getting all the went north a few weeks ago, and at latest ideas from the florists. The sight of a bear, made tracks for caterers, the china-shops, and the reshome were new, and after she became interested in the work, began to develop all sorts of original inspirations.

intended dinner-giver the day the in-

vitations were issued and discussed

ways and means. The day of the

dinner she ordered all the flowers. fa-

vors, and dinner cards, arranged them

New York World. How the Governor Got Even.

An old citizen, of high social and official standing in St. Joseph, tells a story of the famous Missouri governor, Bob Stewart, which! true to the letter, proves that fact is stranger than fic-

was building a house and unable to er when I was a boy," said the ex-gov-It was discovered to be ernor, "and I was working my way on to see what was the matter. The move with that agility that the others day. Wheeler is considered deranged. tenderly raised. The mate became en-Between 6 and 7 o'clock Wednes- raged at my slow movements on the that mate again until I had been in-

> One day wandering through the wards and districts of the penitentiary. I saw that mate working at a forge, He had been sent there for killing, in a passion, a man under his command. I knew him instantly, and I directed the warden to send the man to the gubernatorial mansion in the garb of a gentleman. When the man arrived I took him into my private office and asked him if he recognized me. He replied that he did. Said I: 'Do you remember one time, at such and such a place, of kicking a boy and sending him ashore who had been working in

your gang?' "The man said: 'No, I don't remem-

"'Well, says I, I am that boy, and here is your pardon. I always thought I would get even with you.' "The tears came to the old man's

eyes and he said: 'Well, governor, to be a mate in those days a man had to "'You played well your part,' I said.

'Now leave here and don't let me see "As he made his exit I gave him an

able-bodied kick, and little Bob Stewart had got even with that big steamboat mate. "Sounds like a romance, doesn't it? Yes. But every word is true, I need

barely say, sir,"—St. Joseph Gazette.

Tarantula Bitten. A boy living in Gilroy Valley, Cal., was bitten four times by a tarantula, which was concealed in the sleeve of an undershirt, which he was trying to -For several weeks past a man has put on. His father at once killed a turkey, ripped it open and placed the boy's arm inside. The warm flesh drew the poison from the wounds and the boy's life was saved.

ly gone to her house and asked for dredth anniversary of the founding of 85 years old and the other is unable to hear.

Rochester, N. Y., has named a street after Gladstone. Wood is dearer in New Hampshire now than for many years.

FACT AND FANCY.

A New York brewer gives his workmen forty kegs of beer a day.

At Barre, Vt., the granite industry furnishes 1,182 men with employment. The prohibitionists of Connecticut will hold

a state convention at New Haven Dec. 7. The degree of master of arts was recently conferred on five young ladies by the Royal University of Ireland. A solid cut-glass bedstead, richly worked,

was lately made at Birmingham, England, for a Calcutta millionaire. The crop of acorns in Georgia is the finest ever seen by the oldest inhabitant. Hogs are

getting very fat in the woods. In southern Arizona business of all kinds is ncreasing in volume, and the mining and cattle industries are assuming large proportions. The most ancient agricultural society in the United States was organized in South Carolina. It was founded in 1784, and is therefore

103 years old. At Cleveland, O., is a Froebel society composed of young ladies, which holds monthly meetings in the interest of kindergarten work and supports a free kindergarten.

A question is being discussed in Mobile, Ala., as to whether it is the city's duty to pay the city attorney for defending a councilman of one of the wards in a suit of trespass.

John Sheireffs, who died at St. George, Me. the other day, left neither will nor heirs, and as a result the state treasury will be \$50,000 better off, he having left that amount of money.

The male escort bas gone out of fashion among the women of New York. At the theater the other night were seen nine parties composed of young women protected by a matron. An editor of a San Diego (Cal.) paper gives

the proprietor of a rival sheet the following: We came from the heroic stock of Daniel Boone, and in our veins there flows no drop of Seamless wood fiber piping and tubing, re-

cently invented by a wood-pulp manufacturer at Mechanicsville, N. Y., is said to be imper vious to acids and moisture, and practically indestructible. The faculty of the university of Pennsylvana has forbidden smoking in the students

dents are agitating for a smoking-room on the university premises. Says The Annistown (Ala.) Hot Blast: A recently-brought suit for damages was compromised yesterday for \$11,000. The attornys in the case are happy in the possession of

cooms, the hallways, etc., and now the stu-

one-half of the amount as their fee. Quite a feat was performed by an English steam tug recently. It towed the broken-lown steamer Westphalia from the Grand Canary islands to Hamburg, a distance of ighteen hundred miles in eleven days.

A pneumatic clock company is a new thing

n Paris, which takes charge of a number of clocks, regulating them by air power. When the pipes get out of order, which happens bout twice a week, a large part of Paris is pected in the city of New York. Banks and

ommercial exchanges are the only places that ay any attention to it, and they are now ore aring a petition to the legislature asking for A letter was sent through the Charlotteown (P. E. I.) postoffice recently which bore

he follwing unique postscript: "Deliver it o no one els ask the partie calling to lift his at you will See a large Bald Spot on the Side A plous crank at San Jose, Cal., is asking Il the religious and temperance organizations the country to "file projects, to be present to Senator Stanford, asking him to endow

is university with money derived from some ther source than the product of the vine.' Three old men died at Bradford, Vt., last reek. They were: R. M. Kent, aged 84 years: Edwin Fuller, 86, and Joshua Gerry, 96. For any years the latter person pursued the busi ess of a drover, and was well known all over

the northern New England States. Americans who went to England this year to enjoy pleasant weather missed it by a great many months. While in America the autumn has been unusually pleasant, England for the past two months has had an extraordinary amount of cutting east wind, and a hard winter has already set in.

"It would be well " remarks the Jackson (Ga.) Argus," for the Baptist church authorities to repair the belfry of that church so as to prevent its being made an asylum for pigeous. Religious wor-hip is often disturbed this ridiculous nuisance, and we hope it will be properly looked after.

The days of the small shopkeeper, who only uys at third or fourth hand in small quantties withoutout any command of market, are considered numbered in London, owing to the continued developement of co-operation. An enormous amount of solid capital is being used in antagonism to retail competitors.

Cyrus De Forest, a farmer at North Wilton, Conn., has a novel birthday party and gift annually. A swarm of bees at this time ente the house in a very mysterious manner and take possession of the space between the ceiling and floor. Last year he reaped a harvest of seventy-six pounds of honey and this year seventy-nine. The bees are killed each year, but a new swarm returns the next season.

In Pike county, Ohio, there are four hundred driven wells on which a \$10 royalty was said o be due. Wednesday morning the town of Waverly was filled with farmers who had come in to settle with the agents, when they were own the copy of a decision rendered recently by Judge Blatchford, declaring the patent invalid. The farmers then went home con siderably richer in pocket than the expected

At Minneapolis Tuesday noon B. F. Farnham, a nursery agent, was walking along the street when a revolver dropyed from his overcoat pocket, struck the walk, and was lischarged, its contents entering his body, killing him instantly. About 3 o'clock of the same day Israel Markley, a wealthy stock and grain dealer, was working in the tunnel of his mill when a heavy weight fell upon him. There is little nope of his recovery.

The nothern part of Maine is about as valuao this country as Alaska was twenty years ngo. It is a howling wilderness, sparsely settled, and so far as known, possesses nothing that should induce anyone to go there with the opes of making money. It lies north of the ine of New Hampshire and Vermont and is considerably farther north than the city of Quebec. Some Canadians think it should be

made a part of the Dominion, but why they want it is not easily understood. Delaware's judicial system is as bad as the egislative system is undemocratic, says a Dover letter. There is a judge appointed by the governor for each district, and a chancellor, who has exclusive equity jurisdiction all over the state, and a chief justice who presides over the law courts. The court of each county consists of the two judges of the other two counties and the chief justice. The only appeal is to all of the judges sitting in banc, so that practically the only chance an appellant has is o persuade the judges to change their minds and reverse their own decisions in the court below. The judges hold office for life, never resign, and they live so long that it is considered a long life lease to get an appointment on the bench. As at present constituted, age, and two associate judges, one of whom is

An Invention for Windmills.

Windmills are a very ancient invention, but are not of much practical value in a country where fuel is cheap, from the extreme irregularity of the wind upon which they depend. It is hoped that a remedy for this defect in the transformation of the surplus me their Express and P. O. address. energy of windy weather by causing t to drive a dynamo, thus converting it into electricity, with which he charges batteries of storage cells. These in turn can be utilized to drive the machinery in time of calm. Any such plan is of course attended by a very large waste of power, but when the original quantity is so enormous as it is in a gale of wind, waste is a matter of very little moment. Before the world is many generations older more attention will have to be given to the question of yoking the great forces of nature to our machinery, and utilizing the enormous energy of the winds, waves, and tides, not to mention water-power and the direct radiation from the sun. Our store of available coal will doubtless last for many a long day to come, but we ought not to forget that we are a race of spendthrifts, living on our capital, and that we must not miss an opportunity of economizing the limited resources of our estate. -- London Daily News.

Remarkable Engineering Feat. Near Sing Sing, N. Y., about three years ago two forty-pound lumps of ter at Winterport, Me. lead were suspended by piano string wires in each of two holes, 400 feet deep, and a lot of engineers sighted across the lower parts of the wires in each hole to get the exact direction in which to bore a tunnel through the were 6,000 feet apart, and they mark- particulars. ed the ends of a section of the new Croton aqueduct. Last Saturday morning two drills working toward each 46 minutes—an unprecedented feat. other met, end to end. For several weeks the men knew that they were getting near to each other. The engineers' figures had predicted it. put the clear rapping of the drills told a plain and plainer story every day, cured and saved him from death. Any and for several days the men have sufferer from this dreadful disease sendbeen able to make their voices heard, although there was fifteen or twenty feet of solid rock between them. This rock was the last barrier in a 6,000foot section, and it was blasted away piece by piece until this marvelous triumph of engineering skill was brought about. The drills were run

by compressed air at a high pressure, The Highest Church in Europe. The very highest church in Europe is the pilgrimage chapel of St. Maria of Graubunden. It lies 2,434 metres above the sea level—nearly 8,000 feet high, above the forest, near the limits of perpetual snow. It is only open during the summer time of that region, or, as the folks thereabout reckon, from St. John the Baptist's Day to St. Michael's Day, and is used only by the Alp herds, who remain there through the summer with their marmot. All the inhabitants of Salux climb up hither Midsummer-Day to first sermon of the year, and there is new lake vessels for next season. also a crowded congregation Michaelmas-Day at the last service of the year. From time to time a few stray pilgrims from the Graubunden Oberland and the Tyrol find their way there. The second highest church probably in only in the summer, belongs to Grauounden. At our visit the preacher had five foreign tourists for his congregation.—Bundner Tagblatt.

The Nobleman and the Sweep. Father Ignatus, preaching in London, told the following story: Not very long ago a nobleman in Belgravia, as he was passing from his door to his carriage, encountered a sweep who had been sweeping his chimneys, and the sweep had the courage to look up and say: "Have you the wealth of Christ's salvation?" Two months later the nobleman was dying, and he sent for this sweep, and from him received the knowledge of God by the power of the Holy Ghost. The nobleman wept for joy, and as he died fell asleep in the ark of the covenant, possessed of the unsearchable riches of Christ. This, said Father Ignatius, was a perfectly true story, and he had related it as an illustration because he wanted to bring home to their hearts the poverty of the world.

A Dance in Kamschatka. A dance had just ceased as we arrived, and we took our seats in placid ignorance of what was in store for us. Presently the squeak of the fiddle was heard and instantly the ladies rushed in search of partners. There was a great move in the direction of the two Swedes and the rest of the party, and as became a modest old bachelor I prepared to faire tapisserie with the papas and mammas. But it was destined to be otherwise, for on raising my eyes I found that two fair damsels were suing for the honor of my hand. \* \* \* The young women were not beautiful. \* \* \* However, there was no time to be lost. The sealhunter, the American "nigger," and the tall swede were already hard at it, and slipping my arm around the waist of the nearest fair one I plunged blindly into the dance. The affair was simple enough at first. The dance merey consisted in shaffling slowly round the room side by side, the gentleman with his left arm free, the lady accompanying the music with a sort of monotonous chant. Time was of no particular object and smoking was permitted, and, as we had partaken neither of the cranberries nor the corn-brandy we felt as well as could be expected under the circumstances. for long, however. Suddenly the music stopped, everybody clapped hands, and short and stern order rang out in Russian: "Kiss." There are moments when even the stoutest spirit quails. I turned a despairing glance at my partner and my heart sank within me. All hope was gone! We all know how in moments of supreme emotion the most trivial details become indelibly stamped upon the mind. The scene is now before I saw the red-haired seal-hunter bend down to meet his fate like a hero, his green tie dangling in the air. I saw a gallant officer who had served her Majesty in many climes struggle nobly to the last. Slowly my partner's arms dragged me down \* \* \* The lips stole upward. I nerved myself for a final effort \* \* \* and all was over! Before the next dance I had fled .-The Cruise of the Marchesa.

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"Yes; I shall break the engagement." she said folding her arms and looking defiant; "it is really to much trouble to con verse with him; he's as deaf as a post, and talks like he had a mouthful of mush. Besides, the way he hawks and spits is disgusting." Don't break the engagement for that; tell him to take Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. It will cure him completely." "Well, Pil tell him. I do hate to break it off, for in all other respects he's quite too charming." Of course it cured his catarrh.

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month.

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PRESIDENT CLEVELAND lays great stress on the necessity of reducing the surplus, and his method is to reduce the tariff. If the past legislation on the subject teaches anything, it cannot be done in that way except by so great a reduction as to make it equivalent to absolute free trade. He might as well attempt to climb a tree by jumpping into a well. The increased imports stimulated by such a reduction, would more than balance the loss in rates. This is our history. We had the same condition of things he now complains of, in 1836 under a tariff of 35 per cent. when 28 millions dollars were divided among the states, and again in 1856 a plethoric treasury with a tariff of only 26 per cent. In both of these cases, a democratic President became alarmed lest a panic might occur. In order to prevent it, in both cases, the tariff ommends, and in both cases, the panic policy was again adopted, and with pects the fact that gives away his case or stupidity?

Co., New York, that the greatest excitement prevails there, on account of a late ruling of the Treasury Department, to the effect that foreign peppermint oil may be brought into this counre-export; that it may be imported in sixteen ounce bottles, and repacked for re-export, in twenty-one ounce bottles. A very harmless ruling it would seem on the face of it, but one familiar with the peppermint oil business, will see that it is a direct and destructive blow to that great enterprise in this country. Wayne Co. grows the bulk of the oil used in the entire world. It is the try and the figures are taken from the great industry of the locality, and by years of conscientious management, the Wayne Co. growers have established such a reputation that their oil brings the highest price in the markets

Lately they have begun raising mint in Japan, and the obvious purpose of up. So the importer paid nearly twice the ruling above referred to, is to allow as much for free quinine as he did are nearly gone, but we will this impure and unrecognized oil, to be when the tariff was 45 per cent. and sent into the market under a New York | did for four years at least after it was brand and sold on the reputation built put on the free list. This is sorry comup in this country by long years of patient effort. No wonder Wayne Co. is "ablaze," democrats and republicans | manufacturer is a philanthropist and unite in condemning the unjustafiable | will furnish us goods at the same price wrong, the department has done them. They denounce the outrage, on a plane "entirely aloof from politics," but it is quite evident that the final rebuke will be given at the ballot box.

dealing with the topic of the hour. His the invoice price. discussion is fundamental, and diseral prosperity.

men, is overlooked.

Mr. Cleveland puts his ear to the to do with them. ground but mistakes the voice of England for the urgent claims of patriot- steadily declined and is very cheap toism, and gives to her his honeyed day, because, it is claimed, it is on the words, but leaves their sting in the free list. Let us see. During the pehomes of his own people. The words | riod from 1867 to 1884, the whole supof Blaine come like the rushing blast ply of cinchona bark from which quinine from the mountain upon a sultry air. is made, was obtained from South They are terse, pungent, patriotic America, and had become nearly exwords. There is no driveling senti- hausted before the period closed. The mentalism about "cheap goods" or ter- increasing scarcity accounts for a part ror begotten of too much treasure. A of the advance in prices, and the greed problem is before him. He takes it up of the foreign manufacturer for the like a man of courage as he is, grasps other part. In 1861, England foresaw all its details and in clear logical terms | the early exhaustion of the cinchona announces its solution. The American forests in South America and took people will be slow to disregard his measures to secure a new source of

THE SCIENCE OF TEACHING.

the science of teaching, is only another way of expressing, "the how to do it." It does not imply that there is but one method as some teachers, by their practice, assert. A man is no mechanic unless he knows which way the grain lies, and the strength and properties of the material on which he works. So when a teacher restricts his energy to one method, he forfeits his claim to be scientific. Science is broad and comprehensive, and method is only the alphabet of it. A teacher must be a student who submits to the method applied. dumping ground for their surplus Many a bright boy has become a slug- goods. gard under the process. Many a grand possibility has lain dormant through life, because the teacher has failed to touch a sympathetic chord. Methods are as numerous as the peculiarities in children. If there are fifty holes, all of different shape, who would think to stop them all with round plugs? There are fifty children before one teacher and that teacher is shut up to some one method that must apply to all of them. What is worse, that method is often given her by a superior who has never watched those children an hour in his life, and it often happens that the teacher is condemned and loses her

the Upsilantian. place because of impossible conditions imposed. Every teacher has in her Star, Ypsilanti. Telephone at residence. school, bright boys, dull boys, stubborn boys, captious boys, all sorts of boys. Yet, instead of taking these characteristics as a guide to her method, she has her method given her and is compelled by authority to make use of no other. As a result the dull boy remains a dull boy, whereas, had he received the proper touch, his sluggish mind would have responded and his ambition been kindled under the inspiration of awakening thought. The disposition of a child, is the outward expression of an inward mental structure and should point the teacher to the proper treatment. Hum drum in a school room is out of place, unless you want to make dolts. To be a live teacher, the method of to-day, if unsuccessful, must be sup-Vigilance, large resources as to methods, coupled with personal euthusiasm, are some of the conditions of success.

QUININE AND THE TARIFF.

Judging from the frequent reference was reduced, as the President now rec- to quinine as an illustration of the beneficent workings of free trade, it feared, came and paralized the country, would almost seem that this "Science the one in 1837, the other in 1857, both of Assumption," as Mr. Mill calls free following immediately the remedial trade, has built its whole superstructure measures adopted to prevent it. In on this one item of commerce. It 1872 and in 1880, the same senseless seems that the free trader never sussimilar though not so disastrous results. when he cites this drug to confirm his Now Mr. Cleveland proposes to try it claim. Unfortunately for him the hisagain. In the light of our past finan- tory of quinine since 1867 is, like ancial legislation, what, we ask, does Mr. | cient Gaul, divided into three parts, Cleveland's message indicate, courage an examniation of which is very in-

The first period is from 1867 to 1873, Now comes the report from Wayne not including the last date, 6 years. The second period is from 1873 to 1880, D. L. QUIRK, also 6 years. The third period from 1880 to 1884, 4 years.

During the first period, the tariff was 45 per cent. and the average annutry free of duty, when designed for al foreign price for the period was \$1.14

During the second period, the tariff was 20 per cent, and average price \$2.17 per oz. For the third period the tariff was nothing. In other words, quinine was in 1880 put on the free list, and the average price was \$2 23 per oz. These, remember, were the invoice prices at which it was imported into this counofficial report and can not be questioned. Tabulating these we have

First period, 6 years, tariff 45 per cent. \$1.45 econd " " \$2.17 Third " 4 " " Free " \$2.23 Examining this we find that as the tariff went down the foreign price went fort for the free trader for he would fain have us believe that the foreign when the tariff is taken off as before. It is only on that supposition that he can make it appear that the consumer pays the tariff and would get the goods so much less were the "tax" removed. But, here, his favorite illustration No one, whatever his politics, can shows that the instant we take off the read Mr. Blaine's interview on the mess- | tariff to benefit the consumer, he adds age, and not feel that a master mind is the same amount or more, directly to

We do not claim that the removal of closes a clear and full comprehension the tariff made all this change in the of the needs of the country and the best foreign price. The change is too great, policy and methods for maintaining and so it is necessary to seek some our commercial independence and gen- other cause, to account for it, and for the subsequent decline after 1884. In Noman knows his country better than justice we might hold the free trader Mr. Blaine, and no one brings to the to the figures, at least so long as he consideration of its interests, more log- | maintains that the price has declined ical acumen or broader statesmanship. by reason of exemption from duty, but There is nothing superficial in his make | when he sees the figures, he will probup. He has studied profoundly the ably deny that he ever used the drug growth of the great Republic. He has as an illustration of the benefit of free lived in and through the years of its trade. If there is any thing a free most marvellous development, and trader hates, it is official figures, and holds in easy grasp, all the factors of for a very good reason. They uniformthe problem. No industry or class of ly take the ground from under him, and of course he will have nothing

Since 1884, the price of quinine has supply. Seeds of the cinchona tree were taken to Ceylon at the above date, "Science" implies knowledge and and vast areas were planted there.

In 1869 there were 28 oz. of the bark exported, and so rapid was the growth that in 1882, the export rose to 6,925,595 pounds, and in 1884 to 11,500,000 pounds. In these figures, we find an adequate cause for the great reduction in price which the free trader never tires of citing, in confirmation of his theory.

The claim is preposterous as the figures show, but is no more absurd than the doctrine they seek to establish. Free trade is wholly in the interest of the foreigner and if any one is skepticof human nature. The nature of a alon that point, let him read the Engchild must always determine the meth- lish estimate of the President's mesod. It is painful sometimes to watch sage, estimate the money and effort the effect of teachers who have learned made in this country by the Cobden the science of education out of books, Club, to debauch public sentiment and and not less painful is it to the subject get possession of our country as a

CHANCERY SALE.—STATE OF MICHIGAN
Circuit Court for Washtenaw County in
Chancery. William Smith complainant vs.
John C. Hochstadt and Margaret Hochstadt
defendants. In pursuance of a decretal order
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cause, will be sold under the direction of the
subscriber, at public auction, at the east front
door of the Court House, in the City of Ann
Arbor, Michigan, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said county, on Friday the 20th day; of January, 1888, at nine o'clock
and thirty minutes in the forenoon. All that
certain piece or parcel of land situated in the
city of Ypsilanti, County of Washtenaw, and
State of Michigan, and described as follows,
viz, "Village lot (now city lot) numbered seventeen (17) in Clark's addition to the
village (now city) of Ypsilanti, according to
the original survey and plat of said addition."
Dated Dec. 5th 1888.

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Circuit Court Commissioner.

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Pioneer Sketches. No. 1. JOHN SHIPMAN.

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same year, in company with Mr. Sherman Hinckley, he pushed out on the Chicago road then almost impassable for wheels, by the "rapid transit" route that is, on foot. Passing through Ypsilanti, then a "city" of three houses, he and his companion finally brought up | Price 50 cents. Fred S. Davis Druggist on Sec. 36, Pittsfield township, where they each selected 80 acres of land and forthwith started back by the same route, to the Land Office at Detroit, to secure their titles. At that time Uncle Sam did a land office business" in a served," was a cardinal principle. The | mad dog. The public land was then sold outright at \$1.25 per acre, and no questions The return journey it seems, was more of a race than a pleasure trip, for every man on the road, and they were many, seemed to suspect every other of making for the same parcel of land he himself had selected. One can easily imagine what an impulse such a thoght would give to lagging feet and Uncle John, it is fair to suppose, was not entirely free from such a thought. At least he ate his lunch while on the way, and in all probability without lessening his pace. He proved, however, to his satisfaction that for once at least, "the race was to the swift and the battle to the strong,' for he secured his title against all comers. At this time Mr. Shipman was in the prime of life, a vigorous stalwart man, of strong will, of iron nerve, and unyielding purpose, characteristics, absolutely requisite to meet the hardships and privation just before him. Manfully did he set to work, and before his sturdy blows, the forests soon gave way. The virgin soil was forced to give up its wealth, to reward his faithful labors. On this farm he lived 35 years, and now recalling the under his eye, to a garden of flowers, broad fields of grain displaced the na-

the cherished fireside, may bring a sense of subdued sadness, they never the-less cannot deprive him of his native cheerfulness, or lessen his genial, warm sympathy, with the men and things of Having lost his wife in 1864, she who so heroically shared in the rugged ex- Store. perience of his frontier life, he sold his farm and entered into the lumber trade with Messrs. Edwards & Cooper of Ypsilanti, where he remained two years. After his second marriage, he moved, in 1869, to his present home

tive growth of centuries, spacious

dwellings rose beside the humble cabin,

Ypsilanti expanded into a city of no

mean dimensions with its railroad and

where his two daughters render filial watch-care over his declining years. It is a pleasure to the writer, after a long and intimate acquaintance with him, to bear testimony to the wide spread feeling of respect in which he is held because of his many sterling qualities. It may be a satisfaction to him, now that his steps begin to falter, and his eye grows dim, to know that his kindly, Christian spirit, ever manifest in all his relations with men, and his many generous and unselfish deeds, have won the hearts of his neighbors and the community at large. Ever ready, ever willing with a helping hand, and that too, with no thought of reward, save the consciousness that he had his presence, and "the blessing of the Lord, which maketh rich and addeth

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> Stephen Cummings killed by natural gas explosion at Burgettstown, Pa.

telegraph, and the whir of wheels was W. D. Sult, Druggist, Bippus, Ind., testifies: "I can recommend Electric Bitters as the very best remedy. Every bottle sold has given relief in every case. heard where before, "the waters went unvexed to the sea." A new world greets the eyes now dimmed with age, but while thoughts of the old log cabin One man took six bottles and was cured of Rheumatism of 10 years' standing." in the woods and the happy hours at Abraham Hare, druggist, Bellville, O., affirms: "The best selling medicine I have ever handled in my 20 years' ex-perience is Electric Bitters."Thousands of others have added their testimouy. so that the verdict is unanimous that Electric Bitters do cure all diseases of the Liver, Kidneys orBlood. Only a half dollar a bottle at Smith's Drug Store

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save the consciousness that he had obeyed the golden rule, he has for years lived and walked among us, an ever welcome presence, in our fields and at our firesides. Long may he yet live among us to gladden our homes with his presence, and "the blessing of the headache and acidity of flatulence and tenderness in the pit his presence, and "the blessing of the stomach." To correct all this of the stomach. To correct all this if not effect a cure try Green's August Flower, it costs but a trifle and thou-

> Increase in the public debt for November, of \$1,490,350.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw, ss. In the matter of the estate of Bernard Peyton, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned administratrix, with the will annexed, of the estate of said Bernard Peyton, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the 28th day of September, A. D., 1887, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the late residence of deceased, in the Township of Ypsilanti, in the County of Washtenaw, in said State, on Wednesday, the 25th day of January A. D. 1888, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day (subject to all incumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased, the following described real estate, to wit: The west half of the north-east quarter of section twenty-six (28), in town three (3) south, range seven (7) east, in Michigan, containing eighty acres of land, be the same more or less. Dated December 5th, 1887.

Mortgage Sale REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

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Mortgage Sale.

By a Mortgage bearing date February 19th 1886, and recorded in the office of the Register of deeds for the county of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, February 23d, 1886, at 7 o'clock and 10 minutes p. m. in Liber Tl of Mortgages on page 45, Mary Ann Bumpus, Mortgager, duly Mortgaged to Helen C. Swift, Mortgagee, "All those certain piezes or parcels of land situated in the township of Ypsilanti, county of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, described as follows: First. The East half of the South East quarter of section thirteen, containing eighty acres, more or less. Second. All that part of the East half of the Northeast fractional quarter of section twenty four lying North of Washinton street in the village of Rawson ville, containing forty-seven acres, more or less. Third. Lots numbers six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, tourteen and lifteen in the village of Rawsonville, according to the original plat and survey thereof.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is three thousand, three hundred and ninety dollars and twenty three cents. And default having occurred in a condition of said mortgage, by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt thereby secured or any part thereof. Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgage premises at public vendue to the highest bidder on the third day of March, A. D. 1888, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the East front door of the Court House in the city of Ann Arbor in said county.

Datad December 8th, 1887.

HELEN C. SWIFT, Mortgagee.

THOMAS NINDE, Attorney.

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John Beall, of Linwood, Ind., fell dead while walking with his sweetheart. A fearful warning.

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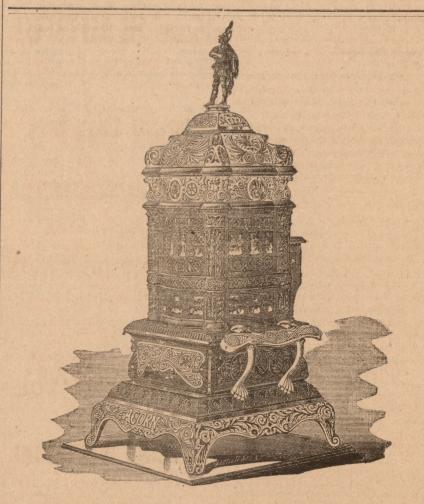
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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1887.

W. W. CORCORAN, of Washington, will be eighty-nine years of age in December, but he says that he expects to entertain more than usual during the coming season.

NORMAN LOCKYER, the English scientist, claims to have discovered that the origin of the universe is found in the meteorite, and now the buestion is, is Lockyer right?

CHARLES CARROLL, of Maryland, who has just married Historian Bancroft's granddaughter, is a young man of twenty-three, stout in figure and very dark in complexion.

IT is now rumored that Prince Alexander of Battenberg is to marry Princess Louise of Wales. The enthusiasm of Queen Victoria over Battenberg sons-in-law is simply astounding.

VISCOUNT KABAYAMA, Admiral of the Japanese Navy, is in Philadelphia with his staff. He says he saw many wonderful things in Washington which were a revelation to him. If he will return to that city after Congress opens he will see some more.

POSTMASTER-GENERAL VILAS has permitted a young woman clerk in his department to marry one of the male elerks without dismissal. This is contrary to precedent, but seems to agree with common sense. Besides, they are all mail clerks in Vilas's depart-

ADMIRAL MOUCHEZ, Director of the Paris Observatory, announces that all the necessary measures have been adopted for beginning the great photographic map of the sky in 1889. 1t will doubtless be as Mouchez he can do to get a good likeness of the stary heavens.

It took a Boston newspaper to discover that Rev. Charles A. Berry, who has been called to the pulpit of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, has a head and face greatly resembling those of Philip Melancthon, who was born just five years after Columbus first reached these shores.

It is said that H. Rider Haggard contemplates writing a sequel to "She." As he totally annihilated the old lady at the end of his former novel, a sequel seems to be an impossibility. But Haggard's ingenuity is equal to almost any feat. He could doubtless revive "She" with a few chemicals.

THE present month of October is favored by having two full moons. The handlers at Fairport, the sheriff of Lake one which has just fulled is the 'har- county, Ohio, called upon the governor vest moon," which is always the full for militia, to prevent destruction of from Wyandotte, Kansas. After the dismoon which happens nearest the au- property and loss of life. tumnal equinox, because it rises from night to night more nearly after sunset robbers who went through a train at fatally wounded, fired upon him, killing lieved here that the fishery commission than any other moon in the year, and Little Rock, Arkansas, four years ago him instantly. hence is favorable for harvesting the has just been arrested in Indian Terrilate crops.

MARLAND COGSWELL HOBBS, A. B., of the Harvard Law School, has been awarded the Sumner prize of \$100 This prize, which is now given for the first time, is the gift of the late Charles each other Monday, which ended in the nent citizen of Racine, Wis., committed Sumner, Class of 1830. It is open to killing of both combatants. any student in any department of Harvard and calls for a dissertation on the subject of universal peace. It will hereafter be awarded yearly.

WHEN Senator Riddleberger, of Virginia, was sent to jail for contempt of court a few months ago he had been defending one William Jones, charged with larceny. Jones was acquitted, declared insane subsequently and sent to the lunatic asylum at Staunton, Va. The superintendent of that institution has now discovered that Jones is perfectly sane but is afflicted with chronic laziness.

THE authorities of the Pennsylvania road are experimenting with an automatic whistle which will give the signal at grade crossings, whether the engineer is awake or asleep. The device is very simple, consisting merely of a bar or lever connecting with the whistle and extending down to within an inch of the track. At a point six hundred yards from the crossing a projection is placed, which, striking against the lever, starts the whistle.

WILLIAM ANDREW JACKSON SPARKS. whose resignation from the General Land Office has just been accepted by the President, is a tall, erect man, fifty years of age and rather handsome. His hair is tinged with gray and his mustache and chin whiskers are nearly white. The most remarkable feature of his costume is his hat. He has his headgear especially manufactured for him. It is made of black stiff felt, with a top like an inverted flowerpot, and a perfectly flat brim about three inches wide. This peculiar hat he wears in both summer and winter.

It is found practicable, at last, to make the waste of pine saw mills available for paper pulp. In reducing the wood to pulp bisulphate of limb has been used, this powerful chemical acting on the fiber only when heated; heretofore only lead-lined boilers would resist its action, these, however, being costly and hard to keep in repair. More recently there has been discovered in Germany a kind of brick lining for boilers, which serves the purpose in question. The wood, sawed in small pieces, is digested with the bisulphate in large boilers lined with this brick, heat being supplied through lead steam pipes, nothing further being necessary except thorough washing of the fiber. The b'sulphate is made on the spot. by passing sulphurous vapor through porous limestone kept thoroughly wet.

### CONDENSED NEWS.

Latest Intelligence From all Parts of the World.

### FIRE RECORD.

The building occupied by Phelps, Dodge & Palmer, wholesale boot and shoe dealers, Chicago, was completely ruined by fire Monday night. The loss on the building is placed at \$115,000; insurance, \$85,000. Phelps, Dodge & Palmer estimate their loss at \$600,000, and say that it is about covered by the insurance. Adjacent property was damaged to the extent of \$5,000.

The Rathbone & Sard stove-works at Albany, New York, were destroyed by fire Tuesday. The loss is estimated at \$30,-

The passenger steamer C. H. Merritt, valued at \$18.000, was burned at Chatham.

### CRIMES AND CRIMINALS.

The jury in the Harper case at Cincinnati found the defendant guilty as charged in the indictment, and he was sentenced to ten years, imprisonment in the penitentiary.

Two citizens of Arkansas named Gar- ing. ret and Waggoner, got into a fight with

### CASUALTIES

By the falling of a heavy beam at an killed and several others were seriously in-

The British steamer Lorne was wrecked Sunday off the east coast of the island of Hainon.

Two men were killed and five others injured by the burning of a flour-mill at Portsmouth, Ohio.

Mr. G. W. West, a retired merchant of Binghamton, New York, was burned to death in his residence near that city Monday night.

### POLITICAL.

of a large number of interviews with published. The people who attended them members of congress on the tariff ques- were principally Germans, and it is needtion, from which it would appear that less to say that they were plentifully supthe President's recommendations on the plied with beer. The largest entertainsubject meet the approval of the great ment was at Twelfth Street Turner Hall, majority of his own party and of a few where speeches were made by Capt. Republicans. Of ninety-eight Republi- Black and John Gloy. The latter spoke cans who were interviewed with reference in German, and although he indulged in to their choice for President next year, considerable socialistic rant, he took twenty-five expressed themselves in favor of Blaine.

In the election at Louisville, Kentucky, Tuesday, there were three candidates for mayor-Clarke D. Jacob, ex-minister to the United States of Colombia, democrat; S. L. Avery, republican, and W. B. Koke, democrat. Mr. Jacob received a majority which is estimated to exceed the combined strength of his opponents by more than 2,000 votes.

### INDUSTRIAL

A call has been issued for the eighth annual convention of the Illinois Miners' serve their country in her stead. Protective association, which is to be held at Springfield on January 24.

during the present week.

western railroads it was decided to make Miss Abbott's name is not mentioned in on the Missouri river from Kansas City to Sioux City. The new tariff will go into effect in January.

At a meeting of the directors at Dubuque, Iowa, the Minnesota and North- in connection with his election to parliawestern railroad was sold and transferred | ment has been dismissed. to the Chicago, St. Paul and Fansas City company.

The molders' strike in the mulleable iron works at Milwaukee has been settled. The company withdrew the apprentices, and the men returned to work this morn-

The employes of the molding room at the malleable iron-works in the Kinnickinnick valley, Milwaukee, 110 in number, went on a strike because three apprentices had been employed to work with

old hands are all anxious to get back vania. upon the old terms, but they find that | The members of the Methodist Episcowhich pretends to dictate to employers on matters of business.

### WASHINGTON.

The President is expected to send about six hundred recess nominations to the Senate for confirmation during the coming week.

At the meeting of the wool-growers and wool-dealers in Washington, a vigorous protest was made against that portion of the president's message which recommends a reduction in the custom duties on wool.

The President has sent the following nominations to the Senate: Lucius Q. C. Lamar, of Mississippi, to be justice of United States supreme court; William F. Vilas, of Wisconsin, secretary of the interior; Don M. Dickinson, of Michigan, postmaster general; Charles S. Fairchild, of New York, secretary of the treasury; George L. Rives, of New York, assistant

Mrs. W. H. Lathrop, wife of a promisuicide by drowning.

tine against people from the cholera-in- will provide a mode of action for the fected districts of Italy. His idea is future. that if several states should unite in might be done toward preventing the lain, who found it necessary to send his spread of the disease.

The Northwestern Intercollegiate Alumnæ association has established a fellowship worth \$350 a year in the Michigan university, which is open to women graduates of the colleges of the northwest.

The three entertainments for the benefit of the families of the executed Anarchists were held in Chicago Sunday in A New York paper publishes the results accordance with the program previously pains to advise his hearers to give up the idea of helping their cause along by the use of dynamite, and to caution them that the time had come for them to retrace

St. Mary's Church, which was dedicated at Fort Wayne, Indiana, recently, is the largest Catholic Church in the state.

The Polo postoffice is a prize for which the patrons of that place are contending with consuming ardor. The present postmaster is a woman, who thinks she is is a soldier's widow, but the town is full of able-bodied men who would like to

The North Georgia conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church has unani-It is thought that the dispute between mously indorsed the sermon of Rev. Mr. the shoe manufacturers of Rochester and | Candler on the theater which gave such their employes will be amicably settled offense to Emma Abbott, who happened to be in the church at the time of its de-At a meeting of the managers of the livery, that she replied to it on the spot. a reduction in freight rates to all points the resolutions which were adopted on the subject, but she is referred to rather contemptuously as a traveling actress.

The petition charging Sir John Macdonald, premier of Canada, with bribery

sary before the matter was decided. The

The Typothtee have won a complete States, died Thursday at St. Vincent's victory over the striking printers. The abbey, Westmoreland county, Pennsyl-

they must first sign a contract renounc- pal Church of Montgomery, Alabama, reing the union and agreeing to have no fuse to accept the pastor sent them by connection with any labor organization the Alabama conference, and in order that the objectionable appointee may not have access to the church building they have nailed up the doors and windows.

C. F. Hoyt, president of the Franz Brewing Co., Sioux City, Ia., of which John Arensdorf was manager, turned the key in the door Wednesday, and said that, so far as he was concerned, the business was at an end. The stock on hand will be disposed of outside the State and the property rendered as available as possible in legitimate ways. This action may result in complications and the outcome is awaited with interest.

Rev. J. J. Huffman, of Sheboyan, Wisconsin, whose house was attacked last month by members of his church, has brought suit against the city for \$2,500 damages on account of the riot.

### FOREIGH.

John Bright writes that he does not secretary of State; Isaac H. Maynard, of think that much could be accomplished New York, assistant secretary of the by holding a peace congress in London

such as those relating to bait, to repairs and refreshments, and to the transshipment in bond across Canada of American

Dr. Rauch, of the Illinois State board of if it is agreed on, will be merely explan-It is understood that such a protocol, health, is now in Indianapolis, where he atory of the old treaty and will not have is consulting with the Indiana State board to be sent to the senate for action, but ice house near Alton, Ill., one man was on the subject of establishing a quarran- if acceptable to the state department

if acceptable to the state department will provide a mode of action for the future.

The long recess, it is understood, was taken at the instance of Mr. Chamberlain, who found it necessary to send his communication to the British foreign office by mail and to await further suggestions by mail, all of which requires fully these weeks, The uncertainty of any agreement involving commercial privileges being recognized by congress, even if a treaty should be ratified by the senate, has been made clear to Mr. taking precautionary measures much taken at the instance of Mr. Chambersenate, has been made clear to Mr. Chamberlain by the status of the reciprocity treaty with Mexico, which the house of representatives has to date refused to recognize by the necessary act to carry it into effect.

An Ottawa special says that the long adjournment is regarded in Canadian official circles as a total collapse of the ne-

entitled to a re-appointment because she that Fahey proposed to Wilson a plan by which they should steal Jules Breton's famous painting of "Les Communicants." which Sir Donald Smith, Vice-President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, purchased in New York for \$60,000. The picture is regarded as the greatest art treasure in Canada. Fahey suggested that they should capture it on its way down from Toronto, where it is now on exhibition, and hold it for a ransom of \$5,000. There are rumors that further arrests have been made, but nothing positive is disclosed by the official departments.

Detective Flynn, of the Grand Trunk, says that the most astonishing revelations are yet to be brought out, and that it will be proved that Montreal has been in the hands of a coterie of criminals who were Chicago is to have the next Republican in league with members of the police and

Chicago is to have the next Republican convention. Three ballots were necestary before the matter was decided. The first yote was viva voce, and that city led, with Omaha a very close second. The first principal strength of the opposition going to Cincinnati and Minneapolis Roman ballot placed Chicago well to the from, the principal strength of the court Monday was by Detective Wilson, who is said to be Hamilton Pinkerton, and when the Grand Trunk vaults one.

Archabbott Boniface Wimmer, founder of the Benedictine order in the United in the Minneapolis of the Benedictine order in the United in league with members of the police and even higher officials.

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In principle as establishing too close relation of the Government, There are other subjects not embed too country, and the business of the country, and the business of the country, and the business of the country, and which I solub to glad to stock numbering from twenty-five of fifty. The duty on the grade of imported wood forther whenty first the subject not enabled to dock numbering from twenty-five of fifty. The duty on the grade of imported wood forther whenty-five to fifty. The duty on the grade of imported wood forther whenty-five to fifty. The duty on the grade of imported wood forther whenty-five to fifty. The duty on the grade of imported wood forther whenty-five to fifty. The duty on the grade of imported wood forther whenty-five to fifty. The duty on the grade of imported wood forther whenty-five to fifty. The duty on the grade of imported wood forther whenty-five to fifty. The duty on the grade of imported wood forther whenty-five to fifty. The duty on the grade of importation and action of the Government. The first when the country, and which I solute provises and the decountry are found in small the door of the foven under the found in private business proper fifty and the decountry are found in private business proportion of the Government. The first when the forther forther foven first vote was viva voce, and that city led. monds from Melvin Smith's house, the with Omaha a very close second. The first abduction of his child, and even cases of formal ballot placed Chicago well to the murder are laid at the door of the arrestfront, the principal strength of the op- ed detectives. The evidence taken before position going to Cincinnati and Minne- the court Monday was by Detective Wilapolis. The final vote stood: Chicago son, who is said to be Hamilton Pinker-25, Cincinnati 13, Minneapolis 8, Omaha ton of New York. He testified that he of the Benedictine order in the United when the money was distributed.

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ficial circles as a total collapse of the negotiations.

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Interesting Developments from the Arrest of Detectives for Extensive Robberies.

There is great excitement over the arrest of ex-Detective Naigle, Private-Detective Fahey, and Chief-Constables Bruneau of the Grand Trunk for alleged complicity in the robbery of \$5,000 from the safe at the Bonaventure depot two months ago, and other similar affairs. One of the developments in the case is that Fahey proposed to Wilson a plan by which they should steal Jules Braton's responsibility.

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It has been suggested that the present bonded dobt might be refunded at aless rate of in erest, and the difference between the old and new scentify paid in cash, thus finding use for the surplus in the Treasury. The success of this

ment.

I have deemed it my duty to thus bring to the knowledge of my countrymen, as well as to the attention of their representatives charged with the responsibility of legislative relief, the

relief, the
GRAVITY OF OUR FINANCIAL SITUATION.
The failure of the Congress heretofore to provide against the dangers which it was quite evident the very nature of the difficulty must necessarily produce, caused a condition of financial distress and apprehension since your last adjournment which taxed to the utmost all the authority and expedents within \*xecutive coatrol, and these appear now to be exhausted. If disaster results from the continued inaction of Congress, the responsibility must rest where it belongs.

Though the situation thus far considered is fraught with danger which should be fully realized, and though it presents features of wrong to the people as well as peril to the country, it is but a result growing out of a perfectly pappable and apparent cause, constantly producing the same alarming circumstances—a congested National Treasury and a depleted monetary condition in the business of the country. It need hardly be stated that, while the present situation demands a remedy, we can only be saved from a like predicament in the future by the removal of the cause.

SCHEME OF TAXATION.

Our scheme of taxation, by means of which RAVITY OF OUR FINANCIAL SITUATION.

Montestant State of the Company of t

Nationages. By the last census it is made to appear that of

If such an emergency arises there now exists no clear and undoubted executives no clear the process of the control of th

sheep to shear, n order that the price of their wool may be increased. They, of course, are not reminded that the farmer who has no sneep is plan, it is apparent, must depend upon the volition of the holders of the present bonds; and it is not entirely certain that the inducement which must be offered them would result in more financial benefit to the Government than the purchase of bonds, while the latter proposal would reduce the principal of the debt by actual payment, instead of extending it.

The proposition to deposit the money held by the government in banks throughout the country for 135 by the people, is, it seems to me.

EXCEEDINGLY OBJECTIONABLE

received upon the wool he produced and sold.

ITS "RELENTLESS GRASP."

When the number of farmers engaged in woolraising is compared with all the farmers in the country, and the small proportion they bear to our population is considered; when it is made apparent that, in the case of a large part of those who own sheep, the benefit of the present taid on wool is illustry; and, above all, when it is must be conceded that the increase of the cost of living caused by such tariff becomes a burden upon those with moderate means, and the poor, the employed and unemployed, the sick and well, and the young and o.d, and that it constitutes a tax which, with relentless grasp, is fastened upon the clothing of every man, woman and child in the land reasons are suggested why the removal or reduction of this duty should be included.

entment.

The question thus imperatively presented for colution should be approached in a spirit higher than partisanship, and considered in the light of that regard for

of that regard for
PATRIOTIC DUTY.

which should chara terize the action of those intrusted with the weal of a confiding people. But the obligation to declare party policy and rinciple is not wanting to urge prompt and effective action. Both of the great political parties now represented in the dovernment have, by repeated and authoritative declarations, condemned the condition of our laws which permit the collection from the people of unnecessary revenue, and have, in the most solemn manner, promised its correction; and neither as citizens nor as partisans are our countrymen in a mood to condome the deliberate violation of these pledges.

### FARM TOPICS.

HOG KILLING SUGGESTIONS. Hog-killing is ususally deferred till pretty cold weather. It is at any time a mean, nasty job, and the more uncomfortable if there is alternation from the hot water of the scalding-tub to the freezing temperature outside. If possible, dressing the hogs should be done in a building sheltered from winds. Have all the implements ready before the work begins, so that there meed be no unnecessary delays.

CLEANING PORK BARRELS. Before putting up new pork it is very

important to see that the barrel is perfectly sweet. The germs of decay if not entirely destroyed rapidly propagate when fresh material is given them to work on. Even salt in unlimited quantities will not save pork in the barrel is in any way out of order. Barrels that have been used for packing beef are especially liable to get out of order, and had better be put to some other use than for keeping pork.

MORSES' FEET ON HARD PAVEMENTS. Contrary to the natural impression, the very hard stone pavement in cities is not so hard on horses' feet as the smoother surface of equally hard asphalt. In the latter, the horses' shoes strike squarely upon the unvielding surface, with nothing to break the force of the blow. On cobble stone every few steps the small uneven surface hits the frog of the foot, slightly expanding about keeping his clothes clean." fit and thus diminishing the tendency to contracted hoof.

FARM SUPPLIES OF BOLTS AND CLEVISES. We have sometimes thought every farmer should have a blacksmith shop. If this is unattainable he ought at least to supply himself with a full assortment of bolts, clevises, wrenches and other iron ware needed in making repairs to broken wagons or farm implements. Often with these he can repair the damage in less time than would be meeded to run to the shop; and in a busy season the time saved is more than the money saving in cost of doing the work.

POTASH AND POTASH. Mr. A. S. Fuller, in a discussion on fertilizers at the American Pomological Society, laid stress on the important fact that potash from feldspar is comparatively worthless, in fact, he don't believe it is worth anything as a fertilizes, while that from wood ashes, having been once through the plants, is valuable. Analysis shows that both are potash, but plants know better than to accept them alike. It is a point worth the attention of all cultivators who employ artificial manures.

GATES VS. BARS. The old-fashioned bars formerly seen on farms as the openings to fields and lots are now seldom used. They have given way to gates, which if kept in order are every way superior. The gate may cost a little more to make at first, though it uses little more lumber than a pair of bars. The extra expense is for hinges and is fare more than repaid by saving of time. Many of the old-fashioned farm methods were fearfully wasteful of the farmer's time and strength. It seemed to be thought it

was thereby effected. THE ONION CROP. The onion crop is said to be short all over the country. In Massachusetts the yield is small. The Connecticut crop is slight; the average yield on 800 acres is 100 barrels an acre, much below last Spring, and inferior in size and keeping quality. The onion-growing towns of New York generally report a small crop, and in Orange County the shortage is serious; the 2500 acres of onions will produce some 350,000 bushels in all, against nearly 600,000 in 1885, which are now selling at \$2 per sack of 100 pounds. The New Jersey erop is also short. The same story

EARLY MATURING HOGS. It may be well enough for Southern farmers to keep swine that require two or even three years to reach full growth. But whenever Northern cold prevails during six months of the year it is important that the hog should reach the fattening point in something less than a year. Animals all grow fastest when young, and not only that, but they make much the most growth for food consumed. Sows for breeding may profitably be kept three or four years if they prove good mothers. But all other hogs should be shielded from

comes from all over the west.

cold by putting them in the barrel ear-Ty, just as if we loved them, and indeed BATTENING WITH STRAW.

Any farmer is inexcusable, says the ed from storms. It does not need money to put up basement barns to sethese, when obtainable, are best, and in the end probably the cheapest. Good temporary shelters are made with rough boards, or even poles set in thing it will bring.

Hent for poultry, and as it is the best egg producing food in the world, what is fed to hens goes to men's stomachs nearly as surely as if it were ground and made into bread. But generally is going to take sister to see Mrs. speaking, wheat is the grain best James Brown Potter, to-night?" adapted to use for human food, and should be used exclusively for that. ask?"

WASTING WHEAT.

This also is true in other parts of the world, especially in India, where rice has heretofore been the staple food of the poor. When Indian ryots get to eating wheaten bread in place of rice, said a gentleman connected with a comthat country will have taken an important step in adopting European or

American civilization. OVERSHIRTS FOR STABLE USE.

A correspondent of the Indiana Farmer writes: "Let every lady whose husband, brother or sons have the care of horses, see that each one is provided with two suitable overshirts of light bedticking, calico or other goods. These should be kept handy at the stable and after use left there. The grooms can then go to meals with no horse odor or stable taint about his clothes, and no loose hairs to be flying subject. Orchids are very much in around. Many farmers are practising this plan, and to my certain knowledge with perfect satisfaction. They say, aside from any horse odor, the sense of wearing clothes not permeated with filthy horse dust is worth more | work ?" than all the expense and time of slip. ping on and off their overshirts. Another advantage in the wear of clothing. The dirtier it becomes and the more it has to be washed, the sooner it wears out. The extra wear of clothes will cost more than the overshirts. There are many other kinds of work for which such shirts are especially adapted. One of the best hands I ever employed was the most particular LIGHT-COLORED DRAIN TILE.

Whenever there is iron mixed with clay, tile or brick made from it will turn red by burning. This color is really rust, which the iron changes into of the schools of decorative art, but when water in contact with it is evaporated. Farmers used to red tile or brick are naturally prejudiced against these of lighter color. Yet if of drawing." these last are thoroughly burned they are as tough and durable as any others. In Milwaukee, Wis., the absence of iron in clay gives to the brick buildings of that city a singular cream-colored appearance. Years ago when laying tile we found occasional specimens of light color, but seemingly hard as the others. At first these were looked upon as suspicious, and only used at the outlets of drains, where their durability could be watched. Of course they chipped off by freezing when wet, as any tile does, but they stood the test as well as any others. Certainly the cream-colored brick of Milwaukee, though in a high northern latitude, where it has to endure severe cold in Winter, is durable enough. On the whole it is doubtful whether color alone is any test of the value of tile. OUARRELSOME BULLS.

The editor of the London Stock Journal writes as follows: An American contemporary has just reported a fight between a Shorthorn bull and a Clydesdale stallion, and expresses some surprise that the latter got the worst of it, being in fact, killed on the spot. Such encounters are, unfortunately, by no means unknown in England. Thrice have I known such quarrels to take work. The chief difficulty which the hole in the chimney, and the man goes place, and in each place the bull has amateur has to overcome is the proper into the woodshed after some little come off victor. It is by no means un- graduation of the quantity of paste blocks. Then the man and his wife common for colts in the heydey of and gold applied to the object, as the and the hired girl essay to put the made little difference how hard or long youth to chase cattle, which flee before applying of either too little or too blocks under the legs, and the pipe them, the colts biting their hocks and | much will necessitate going over the comes out of the chimney. The pipe hindquarters as they run. A bull, a entire work again." horned one at all events, will not run. and charges at the horse broadside with only too fatal a thrust. Having once come off "best" the bull will, when out | ing, by which I mean knowledge suf- the kitchen and balances an old chair of temper, attack inoffensive horses ficient to enable the pupil to do a fair on it, and makes his wife hold the when grazing quietly. I recollect a his plowman, who was working a bull and an ox in the plow. The rider was sitting siill on his horse, and the plow moving toward him was stopped for the noontime. The bull (which was perfectly quiet among men) as soon as loosee from the plow charged the horse, and with one thrust caused the bowels to gush out. And then he walked quietly to the stable with his leave a bull in the pasture where horses are. Sooner or later there is almost certain to be a quarrel, and although a bone broken may be the result to the bull from a kick, the more common result is a deadly wound in the stomach to the horse. In Mexico the roads are reported to be not infrequently impassable to horsemen and wagons through the attacks made on the teams by bulls. - American Cultiva-

An Inventive Genius. Dexter H. Chamberlain, who died recently in Boston at the age of eighty. of the past century, a large number of the leading mechanical inventions now a large city. The snorting of the en-Weekly Press, who allows his stock to in common use having found their go into Winter quarters poorly shelter- birth in his fertile brain. Among Mr. Chamberlain's inventions may be noted a repeating rifle, introductory to the cure warmth and comfort, though Sharp rifle and Colt's revolver; a walked his wife, who seemed the more machine for making hooks and eyes for self-possessed of the two. As they dresses; the hand planer and power planer extensively used in all iron works; the spring blind roller which is huge building. He noted the great double rows and filled in with straw. now controlled by Hartshorne, and out This costs little except labor, and for a of which \$4,000,000 profits have been closed, stopped and grabbed his wife year makes as warm a shelter as the made; the kerosene lamp burner now by the arm. "By Gosh," he exclaimexpensive basement. By replenishing in ordinary use; the self-dating stamp with straw the double row of poles or used all over the world; a leather-split- this 'ere would make-'-Chicago Herboards may be used several years. If ting machine which splits leather as ald. stock will not pay for this care, the fine as paper, and the auger and bit in best thing to do is to sell it for any- common use by carpenters. The window blind roller patent was sold for \$800, and the others for equally The cheapness of wheat should not low amounts. In all he patented some induce wasteful feeding of it. By this forty inventions, and generally disposed we mean substituting it as stock feed of them at very small sums, allowing where coarse grains would answer the purchaser to reap the always rich every purpose. Whole wheat is excel- harvest of his genius. - Boston Com- writing your will?" replied a friend. his counter that for mercial Bullelin.

> Her Curiosity Satisfied. Lucy-"Are you the gentleman who Mr. B.—Yes, dear. Why do you

It is pretty certain that less corn bread | Lucy-"O, nothing, only I heard her is eaten anywhere in this country than tell Ma she was going with a bore, an' siderable coal dust in my hair." there was a few years ago. The cheap- I wanted to see what he looked like." ness of wheat has caused its substitu- - Texas Siftings.

tion for corn, rye and other grain. | LEARNING A BEAUTIFUL ART

A Craze Among Women to Learn Faience Decoration-How It Is Taught.

"The craze for women just now," pany that manufactures faience ware, is to show in their parlors pieces of decorated work done by themselves. So great has been the interest on the part of women in fa ence work and so many have been the applications for instruction in the art that we opened a school in the decoration department of our manufactory. It is only natural that the work the ladies desire to do is of the kind that we call fantasie work, which is the carrying out on pottery of designs of their own fancy, such as the transplanting of flowers, birds, and like vogue for this sort of work. The beginner first does the decoration in color. and, after more experience, in gold."

"What are the requirements of a young woman necessary to begin this

"And lady, young or old, who possesses a little aptitude for the work and an ordinary amount of industry and preservance can become fairly proficient in a few lessons, even if she has done anything of the kind before. I don't mean to be understood as saying that she in this short period could produce what would be known as an art ornament. Many ask me if it is necessary to have a knowledge of drawing in order to become proficient in decorating pottery. I tell them it is not. I know that in this we do not agree with many nevertheless we believe that it is so and can furnish examples of fine work done

"What is your course of instruc-

"The first thing to learn is the prop-After this is learned, painting in flat makes it smaller. gold and colored bronzes is taken up. Then the man gets the pipe into

become thus proficient?" piece of work, can be learned in from chair while he performs acrobatic feats man riding up on horseback to talk to six to twelve lessons. But a specially on the grand combine, in an effort to apt pup I can learn the whole art in drive some nails into the ceiling durtwelve lessons. With lessons continuing which performance the man drops ing three and four hours, it is evident the hammer down upon his wife's de- and the waters were again calm. The that a great deal can be learned if prop- voted head, and she surprises him with booming of the surf, which sounded er attention is paid to all instructions. a yell worthy the emulation of a Com-We have some amateurs in our school anche Indian. who are doing exceedingly good work | Finally the man completes the grand decorating pieces that would be credi- act of driving the nails, constructs a table ornaments in any parlor. Many wide swing to hold the elbow in posiof them are married women. All the tion, hammers the pipe a little on one companion ox. It is not all right to pupils, after they discover what they cide and then a little on the other, can do and the rapid progress they pulls one joint a little here and pushes earnest and enthusiastic over their vocal expression to a series of deprecawork. Four ladies come every day tory and mildly profane adjectives, the morning to 4:30 in the afternoon. drawn sigh of relief, and proudly an-Two of them have decorated large vases nounces that the job is finished. of Egyptian design that were twentysix inches high. The chief decoration on one of these was large roses and leaves in gold, and on the other a Dresden blue body with gold.

A Great Hay-Mow. He came from Kokomo or Squashville, and as he alighted from a train was one of the most prolific inventors at the Rock Island station yesterday it was evident that it was his first visit to gines, the cries of the hackmen, and the rumble of the trucks laden with baggage made him think of pandemonium. Behind him, hanging to his coat, strode down the long platform the eyes of the granger roamed about the height of the roof, the vast space ined, "what a tarnation good hay-mow

Most Likely to be Read.

"I should really like to write something that would be read after I am dead" said a literary man who had "Man's "elight is found in eatdead," said a literary man who had had little success with his recently pub- ting wha lished works.

"Well, what's the matter with your sick, and "I'll see that it is read after you are hand, for gone."- Yonkers Statesman.

A Valuable Deposit. baggage nor money.

town in a freight car and there is con- no use to him, but a great source of as fairly sane folk, and perhaps they

that'll do."-Nebraska State Journal. Breeze.

How Stoves are Put Up.

This being the season of the year when multitudes of people are adjusting their heating apparatus, preparing for cold weather, some will recognize their own experience in the following amusing description from The American Artisan of the way it is sometimes

In the first place, the man puts on an old and very ragged coat. Then he puts his hands inside the place where the pipe ought to go, and blackens his fingers, and then studiously makes a black mark down the side of his nose. Having got his nose properly frescoed, the man grasps one side of the bottom of the stove, and his wife and the hired girl take hold of the other side, and in this way the stove is started from the woodshed to the parlor. In passing through the door, the man carefully swings his side of the stove around and jams his thumb nail against the door post. At last the stove is set down in the proper place, and the man and his wife and the hired girl set out in a triangular search after the stove legs. Two are finally found inside the stove. where they have remained since Spring, and the others are found hidden under four tons of coal. Then the old man holds up one side of the stove, while his w.fe puts two of the legs in place; then he holds up the other side, while the other two are being adjusted, and one piece, but she could do something that of the first pair is displaced. The trick she would not be ashamed of as a home of getting the four legs into their proper place is practised with varying and indifferent results for some ten minutes, and by this time the man gets excited and reckless, and throws off his coat, regardless of the consequences. Then the man goes for the stovepipe

and gets a cinder in his eye. The stove was put up in good shape last in the art by women who knew nothing year by the stove man but this year the pipe proves to be a little too long. So the man jams his hat down over his eyes, takes a piece of pipe under each arm, and starts for the tin shop to have er use of colors and brushes. The work it fixed. Then he comes back, steps is done chiefly in what is known as his muddy boots into one of the best mineral colors. By the proper use of parlor chairs to see if the pipe will fit, colors I mean the use of them in their when his wife makes him come down. unfired state, when they do not show In the act of descending he plants his the shades which they do after they foot square down on the hollow of the have been put through the firing pro- cat's back, and comes within an ace of cess. Then the pupil must learn the trampling the baby under foot. Then proper shading, so that she may not the old man gets an old chair from the put the colors on too thin or too thick. kitchen and climbs up to the chimney Next comes what is known as rotation. opening again, and makes the start-This is the order in which the colors ling discovery that in cutting off the are to be used to admit of their being end of the pipe, the tinner had made fired in proper succession. Certain the pipe too large to enter the hole in colors require a greater degree of heat the chimney. So the man goes into to melt them than others. Thus it is the backyard and splits one side of the that those requiring the least heat end of the pipe with an old ax, and must be both applied and fired last. squeezes it between his hands until he

Flat gold is the term used for gold ap- shape only to find that the stove does plied upon the body or surface of an not stand true. Then the man and his article as distinguished from that of wife and the hired girl move the stove raised work. The last course in the to the left, and the legs fall out again. instruction is the use or the working The legs are replaced and the stove in raised gold, in which is included in- moved to the right, and there is anothstruction as to the use of the paste er seance with the legs. Then the elwhich forms the basis of the raised bow is found not to be even with the is replaced in the chimney hole, when "How long does it take a pupil to the elbow commences to topple over. The man's wife is visibly agitated, and "The first rudiments of china paint- the man gets the dining-table out of

can make in a short time, become most another length a little there, gives and work steadily from 11 o'clock in takes a long breath, breathes a deep-

Man. Man is a mammal, though not half one of the principal thoroughfares the the dome is now being completed by as much as he ought to be. Man is largely "physic" al,

Man is made after a formula which a black shawl. calls for ninety parts water and the remainder of almost anything else.

half cocked, but it is generally because he can't get trusted for any more "med-

One of the chief industries of man is corn raising, some on his own feet, some from the feet of others and some in a liquid form at ten cents a drink.

The ninety per cent. of water contained in the primitive man is often adulterated with the juice of bugs to such an unmerciful extent that he becomes a nomadic cesspool of loathe-

Man, in his best estate, is but a bundle of incongruities, a heterogenous commingling of good and evil, joys and rheumatism, sprrows and phosphorus,

light is found in eat-"Man's good for ham, lows will make him ood for him, and drinking ing, with agony on two dollars in his that will undo the wrong he has complished and set

him on his taps again Man begins his earthly career with-Hotel Clerk-No, sir, we can't ac- out a tooth in his head. This is wise, dict returned by a Coroner's jury the commodate you. You have neither for his occupation during the first year other day. The officer of the Crown of his existence needs no such appurt-"I know I haven't, but I came to chances. They would not only be of pain and annoyance to those in charge are on ordinary occasions. People of-"Well, comb it out carefully and of the toothless mortal .-- Dansville ten get mixed at "Crowners' quests."

CHIEF GERONIMO.

His Mode of Life at Fort Pickens-

Handsome Natchez. A Pensacola, Fla., letter to The Philadelphia Times says: At the door of the first room were two Indian women seated on the floor playing cards. Our civilization has taught them this. They ceased their game as we came up and smiled at the party. The soldier with us could not interpret, so our conversation was limited to a few signs. Next we met a woman with a baby swinging on her back. She stopped to

let us examine the little fellow. They have a most remarkable "instrument of torture," as we dubbed it, for carryng the "papooses" until they can walk. It is of wood, shaped something like a coffin, with the sides very much lower, though. In that the child is placed and strapped from its neck down to its heels, its hands straight down by its sides, so that the little one can move its head only. This arrangement has a band of leather which the mother passes around her forehead. When busy at anything she stands it up against the wall or a post! Of all the babies we saw there we did not hear one whimper. The women are very friendly, and seemed pleased at the atention paid them and their children by visitors, laughing a great deal and showing invariably fine rows of teeth. We saw great quantities of beadwork, baskets, etc., which they are busy preparing to sell winter tourists, but we id not purchase, as Indian work is so much better done by Americans now.

We soon reached Geronimo's quarters. He sat on a chair near his door, and one of his squaws was on the ground near him, while a baby just walking played about his feet. Within the room on the bed were seated a little boy and girl jabbering away for all they were worth, who quite scorned all our efforts to attract them to us. Geronimo was more suave than any Indian man I have ever seen. He smiled and shook hands, and his manner was almost affable. I was much amused to his child. One of his squaws died last We had been told that Natchez was more haughty than all the others, but

ooking of any of the chiefs, and his bad odor with the other chiefs. They ceed fifty degrees. hold him accountable for their surrender, and have never forgiven him. heavy fire has been kept for several They are very chary about associating | hours prior to retiring, may to some with him.

A great pity came over me as we turned to go. I thought of their free is very liable to occur, since by heating life in the great far-reaching country the room to such an extent as has been of the west, their hatred of the pale referred to the system becomes greatly faces of the east. Here they were, shut enervated, creating an increased within four narrow walls, subject to susceptibility to the influence of the their despised conquerors and their cold air, and thus the way is opened to equally hated modes of life. I wonder- the attack of some of the most serious slaughter the handful of men who have lungs. Happy indeed, should those them in charge. But life seems sweet persons esteem themselves whose to all human beings, and we soon learn means forbid an indulgence in this form prudence if the penalty of recklessness of luxury! A person accustomed to The storms of a few weeks since ter-

rifled them. The "big water" inspires them with an awe and dread that nothing else does, and it was an infinite relief to them when the heavens cleared like the play of artillery far in the city, filled them with unspeakable terror. What will become of them? Will their lives be spent in prison? It is a knotty question and one which the government has not yet solved. They are not quite the heroes of Cooper, and their love of dirt and treachery are repulsive; but they are men, and men of so different birth and rearing we cannot force them quite yet into our narrower grooves.

Not Crippled.

tipsy stopped in front of a woman who other evening and said:

"I'll give you a half a dollar, old would be more so if doctors had their girl, if you'll let me see your face." irl, if you'll let me see your face." charge sent a long way for a cheap The woman's head was enveloped in man.—Atlanta Constitution.

She glanced up, saw a 50-cent piece in his fingers, and quickly pushed the Man, like a gun, sometimes goes off shawl back from her face. He saw it. The woman looked in good health and there was rather a cunning smile in her

"Nothing," she said curtly.

melody .-- Detroit Free Press.

The Long and Short of It. "Willie Wafflers," said the teacher, "which is the shortest day in the

year?" Willie, who was correct as far as the writer knows.

"And Tommy Tuff may tell us which is the longest day," said the teacher indulgently. "Sunday," shouted Tommy. - Phila-

delphia Chronicle. Wonderous Perspicacity.

"Temporary suicide by a man unknown while in an unsound state of mind," was the somewhat peculiar verrubbed his crown and sighed. All these jurors are passing through the world

Sleeping Apartments. Some great writer has remarked: "It

must not be forgotten that we spend a considerable portion of our lives in the bed-chamber, and therefore, its healthfulness cannot fail to have a very important bearing upon our physical vell-being." Everybody, indeed, who is actuated by a due regard for health and real comfort, will consider an equal attention to the size, situation, temperature and cleanliness of the apartment he occupies during the hours of repose, as of the parlor, drawing-room or any other apartment; and yet how very often do we find families crowded at night in obscure and confined chambers, of dimensions scarcely more ample than those of an old-fashioned closet, while perhaps, in the majority of instances, the best rooms in the whole house are set apart for the sole purpose of ostentatious display. Now it is very important that the largest and most elevated room, or rooms, upon the second floor of the dwelling, be appropriated for the purposes of sleeping, and that the same be properly ventilated during the day-time and during all seasons of the year. There are few houses, the rooms of

which are so situated as to render good

ventilation impossible, and the influ-

ence of this practice upon the health of inmates is too important to permit being neglected from any slight cause. A bed-chamber should be divested of all unnecessary furniture, and unless of considerable size, should never contain more than one bed. There cannot be a more pernicious custom than that pursued by some, indeed by many families, of having their children sleep in small apartments, with two and sometimes with three beds crowded into the same room. It is scarcely necessary to observe that cleanliness, in the most extensive signification of the term, is, if possible, even more necessary with reference to the bed-chamber than with almost any other apartment in the whole house. The practice of sleeeping in a room which is occupied see the murderous old fellow play with during the daytime is extremely unwise. Perfect cleanliness and sufficient week, but he didn't mourn very long. free ventilation cannot under such circumstances be preserved, especially during cold weather; hence the a tmos-I think we caught him on his red-letter phere becomes more vitiated, and altolay, he was so polite. He is the finest gether untit for respiration. While too great a degree of caution cannot be obface is more honest. Geronimo has a served to avoid sleeping in damp blander smile, but would never inspire rooms, beds or clothing, the temperaconfidence. Natchez' hands and feet ture of the bed-chamber, if possible, are small. He stood up for us to look should never be increased, under the at him. He is long and lithe of limb, ordinary circumstances of nealth, by and looks as if his strength were quick artificial means. As this apartment is and nervous rather than of the endur- to be reserved solely for sleep, a fire is ing kind. His hatred of Geronimo does never necessary, excepting, possibly, not seem to abate. In fact, the old during extreme cold weather, and even diplomate, as he is called here, is in then, the temperature ought not to ex- of one's eart sink deeply, forbidding A sleeping apartment in which a

> persons, at first thought, offer great comfort. But, right here, great danger disease, especially of the throat and undress in a room w thout a fire, and to seek repose in a cold bed, will not experience the least inconvenience, even in the severest of Winter weather. The natural heat of the body will very speedily render a person, under such circumstances, even more comfortable than he or she will be who sleeps in a heated apartment, as experience has amply verified. But this is not all. The constitution of the one accustomed to sleeping in a room which is not artificially heated will be rendered more robust and strong, and far less susceptible to the influence of artificial vicissitudes, than that person who is not so accustomed to sleep. - Good Housekeeping.

Sending Far for Cheap Labor. The painting in the dome of the A young fellow who was about half | Capitol at Washington is the largest in the world, and cost \$50,000. The was grinding a wheezy hand organ on unfinished frieze work at the base of an Italian artist who is employed by the government at \$10 a day. Those in

Johnny's Illustration.

A Boston mother was assisting her little boy the other evening in the mastery of his geography lesson, and coming to the description of a desert, which formed part of the lesson to be memo-"What's the matter with you?" he rized, she quoted the text-book to the effect that it was "a barren tract." The little fellow repeated the descrip-"Well, take the money for your tive phrase after her, but his air of gall!" he said, dropping it rattling into mystification showed that he hadn't her tin cup, and as he moved on the the slightest idea of the meaning conwoman began on another plaintive veyed by the group of words, and, the better to reach his youthful understanding, she endeavored to simplify the description by defining it as "a place where nothing would grow." The boys face brightened with the light | make up his mind that he has been of awakened intelligence, and the "Twenty-fust of December," replied | mother, proud and expectant, put the question: "Now Johnny, what is a dessert?" Prompt came the response: "Pa's bald head!" - Boston Budget.

Self Interest.

We are in favor of a law to prevent men from working when they are sick, and especially men grinding in editorial mills. - Wilmington (N. C.) Star.

The Stern Romans.

Young Tommy, who has gone to their children, the way folks are now," he says, "they wouldn't have had any marriage license was like a full-rate accusative cases and ablatives and all railroad ticket, "good until used."hose things."-Boston Transcript.

To Canadians, says Edward Jack, in The Canada Lumberman, who find our forests so difficult to travel among in Summer time, owing to the quantity of brushwood one encounters almost everywhere, as well as to the obstructions offered to ready progress by tracts of burned or broken lands, the forests of the interior of Georgia offer

Among the Pines of Georgia.

degree of attention necessary in giving a pleasing change, especially during the mild and agreeable Southern Winter. Here are to be found no cradle knots, no broken ground, no burned, and no underbrush, for miles and miles, nothing but lofty pines, standing so far apart that one can drive for hours among them, seated in a buggy drawn by a pair of horses, making only an occasional detour to avoid a few square rods of scrub oak or some blown-down tree. One of the latter, which was measured, was 108 feet long, while the first limb was seventyone feet from the root. There were many trees at this time around, which certainly attained a height of not less

than 120 feet.

The surface of the country for sixty miles was as smooth as the streets of any city. It was not level, but gently rolling. The streams by which it was intersected often had banks from fifty to sixty feet in height. These were not abrupt but with a steep slope. Sometimes there were flats along other shores, on which magnolias, oaks, bays and other evergreens grew in the greatest abundance. In the early Spring these shores are fragrant with the perfume of the yellow jessamine, which grows abundantly all over this country, while here and there, about the small round ponds scattered through these forests, the lilac flowers of the redbud mingle their blossoms with the white bloom of the May-haw, and here may be seen our robins, as well as the turtle dove which abounds in these woods, as does the Southern patridge or quail. The brilliant cardinal bird and the gay blue bird, with robe of deepest cobalt, may be seen also, flitting from bough to bough.

One may judge of the genial character of this climate from the fact that near Flint River peach trees were in blossom on the 4th of February, while in some gardens on the 5th of that month peas were already above ground. On the 7th jonguils were in full flower, and strawberries were in blossom. What adds much to the pleasure of travelling among the pines of this part of Georgia, is the absence of mosquitoes and black flies.

The Georgian pine is in general much larger and of better quality than that of Florida. On the Flint River the soil is very different from the white sands of Florida, into which the wheels rapid rate of progress. Through the pine woods, the dark gray, sandy soil is firm everywhere; the only benefit of the highway is that it leads to bridges by which streams can be crossed, and avoids the occassional fallen trees which the traveller now and then encounters. A good road could be found anwyhere among the pines.

The Southern pine does not grow so thickly on the same extent of territory as does the white pine of the West, where it is no very uncommon thing to find a forty acre lot yielding a million feet (broad measure) of this lumber. In the West one track may be thickly timbered with white pine, while there may be next to none on the adjoining lot. The Southern pine, on the contrary, although not found growing thickly in any one place, is vet far more generally distributed over an equal area of ground than its Western relative.

Southern pine lands also possess a great advantage over many others in this, that fires will not destroy them, even when the wire grass, which grows beneath the trees, is burned every Spring, so that the tender growth may afford better nourishment to the sheep and cattle that wander the forests. Besides this, when the pines have been cut down, especially on the Lime Sink region of Georgia, the land, which is free from stones, can, with the aid of fertilizers, be made to yield magnificent crops of cotton, Indian corn, melons or other vegetables or fruit, and peach. pomegranate or fig trees will flourish anywhere here without manure, and yet these pine lands of Georgia are so little prized that they were selling in large lots last Winter at from \$1.50 to \$2.50 per acre, where the trees were adjacent to large streams, and where the timber could be cheaply placed in the same and driven to the sea.

It must not be inferred from what has been said that all the pine lands of the South, or even of Georgia, are equally well timbered. On the contrary, there are vast tracts the timber on which is of little value, and many an English capitalist has been swindled by the false representations of designing men into purchasing large tracts of land which are of little or no value. Instances of this kind are numerous. and no one should allow himself to be drawn into the purchase of any Southern lands until he has sent his own trusted and competent explorer to carefully examine and report on the same. Should he not do so, he may in general cheated in his investment.

An Old Marriage License.

The clerk of the supreme court of the District was waited upon this morning by a minister and asked if a marriage license ever went out of date. He showed the clerk'a marriage license of Charles Jackson and Laura Queen, of Maryland, granted December 17, 1872, and now, therefore, nearly fifteen years old, and said that the parties had come to him to be married on that license. It was explained that the work manfully at his Latin, says he parties had had a misunderstanding on has no difficulty in believing that the the eve of marriage in the winter of Romans were very stern with their 1872, and that fifteen years had elapsed children. "If they had been good to before they were fully reconciled. The clerk assured him that a paid-up Washington Letter.

Speeding, while Sleeping, from State to State and O'er Niagara's Awful Gorge-Comments Personal, Political, Theological and Professional

SYRACUSE, N. Y. Dec. 12, 1887. We are so accustomed to the rapid advance of modern improvement that scarcely anything now excites our wonder; but is it not a wonderful thing, when we stop to think of it, that we may go to bed in Ypsilanti at half past 10 o'clock Saturday night, and wake up for breakfast in Buffalo, and attend morning service in Rochester, with plenty of time to dress for church! During that time, storms may have raged about us, but we have not felt them, housed in a luxurious and evenly warmed sleeping room, with faithful attendants on watch about us. We may be occasionally awakened by a cessation of the rumble, and, peering behind the curtain, see a city at midnight resplendent with the wierd glare of the electric light; and we may glide | State of Michigan, county of Washtenaw, s. s

Mr. Blaine's forcible statement of the magnitude of our internal com-day of December, 1887. merce is brought to mind by the frequent trains one meets in passing over | CORRECT-Attest: the great six-track route! the New York Central. The company advertises only four tracks, but the Central has absorbed control of the West Shore with its two tracks running all the way beside its own, and so is practically a six-track route, and if we count the Auburn line from here to Rochester, it has seven or eight. On those six tracks there pass through this city, both ways, 146 trains every day! 112 freight, and was that the commerce over the Pennin amount than the commerce of the ocean; and these things may give us relative value of the foreign trade of which some political economists talk must rival the entire trade of all the developed under protection. The insatiable American appetite for

newspapers is nowhere more noticeable than on a railroad train. As we run to meet the succeeding mornings and termined to reduce it by selling our Lecture-(Extra) Tuesday, Jan. 17, evenings, going towards the east, we shorten the interval between the morning and evening editions, but they come | ment of fancy articles and materials none too fast, and the passengers are ready for them at every city. The newspaper man reads with the instinct of his profession, and says to himself as he reads, this must be said about ning of the New Year. Come and that, and that must be said about this. And so he notices that the Republican National Committee, in the call for the convention, very distinctly accepts the tariff challenge that the President so distinctly throws down, and calls first upon "all who believe in the American principle of a protective tariff," to unite for the choice of a President; and he says, Good-that is what we must emphasize, and there are other things we must emphasize.

He notices that the great evangelical convention at Washington is considering what means can best awaken a wider and deeper interest in the message proclaimed by the churches; and he says, Good-that is what we need to study, and it is what we must master.

He notices that Mr. Wight, the able correspondent of the Inter Ocean at Washington, takes issue with Mr. Blaine on the whisky tax question, and declares the moral effect of that tax to be bad altogether, and no where defensible; and he says, Good again-"the war is over," and nothing remains to justify the whisky tax. Glutting the treasury is its least evil. It gluts the pockets of the great distillers and gives the liquor seller the only ally that could enable him to withstand the temperance sentiment that now exists.

But I am on a vacation, and not presumed to be doing newspaper work. here this morning, with suggestions of | fact that we are prepared to do the best of a cold wave coming. Plenty of mud, G. C. S.

Come at once and look over the big display of toys, books, games, toy tables, beds, balls, workboxes, toolboxes, trumpets, drums, guns, swords, cats, dogs, rats, turtles, horses, sheep, cows, carts, cars, engines, ten-pin boxes, a. b. c. blocks in all prices. Don't wait till the rush begins, but come now and take first and best choice at the Bazarette bargain counters. Notice to Stockholders.

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